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be eradicated.

The attempt of the promoters of the
Cosmos club to surrender its liquor license and victualler's license failed
when the board revoked both licenses,
after Capt. Joseph McKinnon of the
Warren avenue station had described
the layout of the gambling resort known
as the Sportsmen's Club, with which
he said that David J. "Beano" Breen,
owner of the Cosmos club on the floor
below at 92 Broadway, was connected.
From six girls in the floor show at
an Arlington street night club police
sought with no success to gain information about the murderer of Sweeney.
The girls, all about 20 years old, admitted that they were in the club Friday morning but claimed to have left
before the shooting.

While the new headquarters raiding squad of Asst.-Supt. James McDevitt was idle during the day, Capt.
Thomas Towle of the Milk street station ordered a sledge-hammer entrance
into the Brookside Athletic Club at 7
Merchants row. Though reports of the
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Discussing Leonard's letter asking for a hearing at which the Lieutenant-Governor would preside, Gov. Curley said, "His letter simply adds another reason for his removal. It is an unwarranted gratuity and impertinence. I shall conduct the proceedings myself and no hearing will be given."

Later in the day, the Governor informed reporters, "I already have drawn up the order for Leonard's removal for submission to the council tomorrow. I see no reason why I should not tell you that I propose to appoint Eugene C. McSweeney in his place."

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"That's important. They were removed during the closing days of Hultmans' administration. That, of course, is sufficient grounds to seek his removal from public service. In justice to him, however, I must say that I do not believe that he is directly responsible for the disappearance of these important records. If you want my opinion, I believe the man responsible is the little fellow who acted as commissioner. I refer, of course, to Schwartz."

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Attention to crime-fighting forces occupied a good part of the Governor's day. He held a lengthy conference with his recently-appointed crime commission, and at its conclusion announced that legislation calling for the creation of a state department of justice, formed along lines of the federal department, will be submitted to the Legislature by Friday of this week.

The commission is working on a program designed to bring united action in the prevention of crime and the apprehension of criminals through a system of organized law enforcement. The Governor said that a medical examiner would be attached to the new state department of justice, and that Dr. George Burgess Magrath, Suffolk county medical examiner, would be given the position.

McSweeney, a former executive of the Boston American, has been Curley's companion on numerous trips within the past three years, and has often had the latter, when he was mayor of Boston, as a guest at his summer home in Hyannis.

WAS FIRE COMMISSIONER

Curley, as mayor, appointed Mc-Sweeney to be fire commissioner, Oct. 16, 1933, after the resignation from that position of Edward F. McLaughlin to manage the campaign of Frederick W. Mansfield for mayor. With Mans-field's election, he reappointed Mc-Laughlin and thus terminated Mc-Sweeney's commissionership within a few months. months.

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He is 54, married and has three children. His home is at 23 Chilton road,
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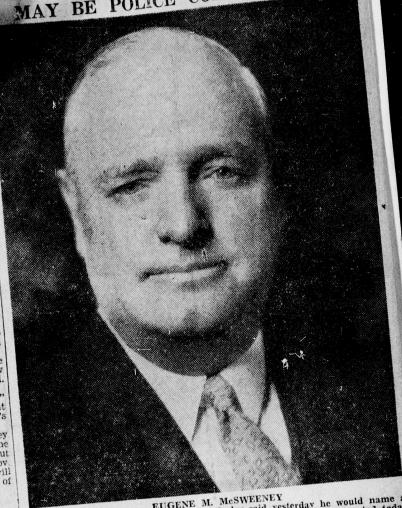
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State House Briefs

By FRED KNIGHT

Frank E. Riley of Swampscott, who has been associated with trucking business for 20 years, has been named by the public utilities commissioners as provisional supervisor of motor trucks at a salar yof \$3780. He landed the new berth through the Governor's employment office on the recommendation of Councillor William G. Hennessey of Lynn. Riley is headed for the post as supervisor of the division of motor trucks under the new trucking law when appropriations and other details are ironed out.

Mayor Mansfield yesterday filed a bill seeking a further extension of time under which the city may borrow for Boston airport improvements outside the statutory limit of indebtedness. The petition was referred to the rules com-mittee on a question of admission.

After casting aspersions on members of the committee on legal affairs, during a hearing on a bill to prohibit admission of minors to certain places where alcoholic beverages are sold, Representative Thomas Dorgan of Dorchester was warned by Senator Harry B. Putnam, chairman, that he would be barred from appearing before the committee if there was another recurrence.

Dorgan also referred to many clubs in Boston as "shooting galleries" in his fiery attack on conditions.

"Abraham Lincoln" called on the Governor yesterday. "Honest Abe" arrived at the executive office while the Governor's crime committee was in conference. George F. Madden of Quincy, whose father, George F., of Charlestown, marched behind Sherman to the sea, was Lincoln's impersonator. Madden, a member of the Boston Advertising Club, was later escorted through the State House by Charles O. Holt, sergeantat-arms, who dignified the occasion by wearing his formal beaver.

William F. Dillon of Revere, assistant to the clerk of the Senate, will be married on Washington's birthday to Miss Gertrude K. Tiernan of Chelsea.

Dist.-Atty. Thomas F. Moriarty of Springfield, prosecutor of Alexander Kaminsky, appeared personally at the hearing before the committee on public service on the petition of Senator Francis M. McKeown to increase the salary of the district attorney in the western district from \$4000 to \$6000.

It was brought out at a hearing before the committee on taxation that the commonwealth's revenue from the consumption of 44,019,979 gallons of malt beverages was \$1,419,999, and from the consumption of 3,553,000 gallons of hard liquors was \$1,421,000.

At the request of Senator Charles A. P. McAree of Haverhill, the Governor plans to have the Governors of the six New England states confer with repre-sentatives of the shoe industry, after meeting officials of the textile indus-try. The purpose of the shoe conference is to draw up a code of ethics for the protection of the industry.

One of tomorrow's most important hearings will be conducted by the committee on military affairs on the petition for the establishment of a national guard camp at Bourne on Cape Cod.

The state department of the American Legion yesterday announced plans for entertaining Frank N. Belgrano of California, national commander, when he visits Boston during the latter part of the week

Former City Councillor Francis E. Kelly of Boston, urging relief for the small real estate owner, appealed to the committee on taxation for legislation calling for a tax limitation of \$31 per \$1000 for cities and towns. Kelly asked a tax on valuables now in safety deposit boxes.

Opposition was expressed to the pro-sed legislation requiring educators to ke an oath of allegiance, at a hear-g before the committee on education, ichael Flaherty of Somerville made a attack on both the proposals and lose behind them. behind them.

Charges that constables and other officers collecting unpaid poll taxes are "making huge fortunes at the expense of the poor," were made by

Representative Albert Rubin of Fall River to members of the taxation committee. Rubin urged favorable action on a bill limiting the fees in such collections.

Appearing before a legislative body for the first time since his retirement from public office last month, former atty.-Gen. Joseph E. Warner yesterday urged that the attorney-general have power to prosecute as well as restrain any person effecting a monopoly in articles of common use.

Although there were five dissenters the committee on cities voted to report favorably on the bill providing for abo-lition of the board of police of Fall

IMPORTANT HEARINGS TODAY

Civil service—10:30 A. M., room 480, committee on civil service, petitions that educational qualifications be abolished in connections with examinations under the civil services laws.

Fishing—10:30 A. M., room 443, committee on conservation, petition to issue fishing licenses without fee to members of Automobile to.

the CCC.

Automobile insurance—10:30 A. M. room 407. committee on insurance, petitions to alter present compulsory insurance laws.

Oil burners—10:30 A. M., room 450, committee on public safety, petition for legislation to regulate installation and servicing of fuel oil burners.

Prison-made goods—10:30 A. M., room 460, committee on public welfare, petitions for legislation to further regulate prison-made goods.

Minors—10:30 A. M., room 431, committee

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Telephones—10:30 A. M., room 446, committee on power and light, petitions relative Jurcrs—10 A. M., room 222 committee on power and light, petitions relative

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MURPHY LEADING IN WATERTOWN CONTEST

The largest caucus in the history of Watertown was held yesterday when 3509 Democrats went to the polls to name their choices for the principal

town offices at the election next month.
At 3 A. M., returns from seven of the town's 10 precincts showed Daniel J. Murphy leading for selectman with 946 yotes. Edward D. Holland, who is seeking renomination, was second with 872 yotes and Aram Brazilian, third with 198 yotes.

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MRS. H. J. WATSON GETS DIVORCE IN WORCESTER

WORCESTER, Feb. 12-Judge Frederick H. Chamberlain in probate court today granted a divorce to Elizabeth Erikkson Watson of Worcester from Hubert J. Watson of Worcester and Leicester, assistant manager of the Watson-Williams Manufacturing Company. By agreement, the custody of their child, Jordan K. Watson, is given the husband.

The couple were married June 25,

Mrs. Watson alleged cruelty and told the court that she and her husband had difficulty in getting along. That as a result of his disposition she suffered mentally. Watson did not contest the suit. He is at present on a business trip to South America.

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CONNELLY MAY SUCCEED HURLEY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12—A suggestion that Patrick Connelly, brother of a former secretary to Senator Walsh when he was Governor of Massachusetts, might be selected as a compromise candidate for the Boston postmastership was advanced today by Massachusetts Democrats.

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It was understood originally that the President and the postmaster-general were committed to Peter F. Tague, a former member of the House and a protege of Gov. Curley of Massachuse'ts. Protests against Tague's appointment and appeals for the retention of Hurley were received in great numbers here.

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Hope every reader of The Herald (and other newspapers) reads "Local Politics" by W. E. Mullins. It is educational, interesting and amusing. For that one article alone The Herald is worth buying.

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But when Governor Curley says that the Executive Council in Massachusetts has long since ceased to serve as "an opportunity for social aggrandizement of favorites of the ruling power," one can only note that ever since he took office he has been doing his level best to restore it to its ancient monarchical function. Relic of royalty though the council is in form, American democratic principle and practice had changed it in two essential respects. First, the constitution ordered that the membership, formerly appointive, should become subject to the will and vote of the people. Secondly, under worthy American traditions proper to the life of a free people during the past 150 years, the governors of the State have been in the main careful and scrupulous to see that the procedure of the Executive Council should give fair play, conduct proper hearings, and generally avoid degeneration back into the high-handed forms and arrogant ways characteristic of the British monarchs before the American Revolution.

So, at the present juncture, a real question is raised when Joseph J. Leonard, police commissioner of the city of Boston, says that "the people of this Commonwealth know that the excesses and cruelties of the Star Chamber of James the First of England caused its abolition 300 years ago," and when he also asks, "Is Massachusetts to see a revival of its cruelties?" Unless Governor Curley desists from further demands, such as those he has just made, to substitute star-chamber proceedings in the Council for normal democratic openness and fairness of public hearing, he will very soon have restored the Executive Council to that which he rightly says was its chief ancient role in the days of British royalty; "namely, an opportunity for social aggrandizement of favorites of the ruling power."

As Speaker Saltonstall pointed out in his clear, able manner last night, "Where there is no voice raised in opposition to the views of the majority, one of two things happens. Either that majority becomes extreme in its ideas and loses its sense of proportion, or it falls naturally into a dictatorship."

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"Threat of confiscation is a doubtful substitute for existing orderly regulation established by our Constitution and law. Rate making degenerates into an economic farce when it is based on threats of confiscation made by one without the legal power to enforce such threats.

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"Companies frightened or cajoled into rate reduction may offer a peace sacrifice which must be atoned for by depletion of needed depreciation reserve, skimping of maintenance, 'pressing down the crown of thorns upon the brow of defenseless labor,' and grievous impairment of the public service.

"Under the most favorable conditions, under the governor's plan, a committee of three laymen outside the industry is pitted against the leaders of three large power companies and their technical advisers, men who have grown up and developed in the electrical industry. The laymen serving with the utility executive on a joint committee hold no official governmental position dealing with utility questions. Unfamiliarity does not give the laymen that confidence in advancing the public's case so essential for success; concessions must be won from the utility representatives by compelling statement of facts and sound arguments."

During Marshall's attack on the committee he was repeatedly interrupted by Representative John Comerford of Brookline, House chairman of the Power and Light Committee, who objected to Marshall's remarks on the ground that they were not pertinent to the measure under consideration. The bill before the committee was seeking legislation setting up a uniform electric rate for domestic and commercial users. Marshall was allowed to continue his remarks, but the Hocse chairman insisted that his objections be noted.

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[From the Springfield Republican]
It is undeniable that if Governor Curley, through a glib secretary, misuses radio time to abuse political opponents and various groups and individuals, there must be opportunity for reply and remonstrance by the same medium of communication. Yet it is clear that Massachusetts affairs are not going to be favorably advertised by being discussed on the air with all the exaggeration and partisan emphasis characteristic of political debate in the excitement of a campaign. The equivalent of a State campaign lasting two years is not agreeable to contemplate. Moreover, there is a limit to what the citizens can and will listen to.

State Senator Parkman, in opening the "fair play forum" provided by the broadcasting company, declared that at the present juncture "a fighting opposition . . is essential to the interests and well-being of the people of Massachusetts." This assertion is unlikely to be challenged. Yet the methods employed in giving public expression to such an opposition must be judged pragmatically. It it is found that the speeches delivered in behalf of Governor Curley are convincing only to his partisans and wearisome to most people of independent minds, it is possible that silence will be the most effective means of opposing the governor. In any event the counter attack must be actutely handled.

Senator Parkman in his radio address the past week said: "And now he (Curley) intends to use the high office of governor for the upbuilding of his personal political machine. He has transferred his Boston city hall tactics into the government of the Commonwealth." This is not only a fair criticism, but it rests on developments which have been fully exhibited to the people of the State. The question is whether public resentment will be more effective if it develops with, or without, the prompting of Republican radio speakers. Their political judgment will be tested in answering.

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Although Governor Curley made this elaborate statement in explanation of his act, concensus of opinion at the State House is that the Governor failed to request Mr. Leonard's immediate removal only because he failed to obtain a majority in the council.

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Liability of Directors Being Looked Into

The financial liability of directors of the closed Belmont Trust Company to the depositors is under investigation by special counsel to the Bank Commissioner, it was disclosed yesterday at a hearing of the Legislative Joint Rules Committee.

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Speaker Gives Facts

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It has been the intention of Gov Curley to turn the legal work of liquidating closed banks over to the Attorney General's office to be done by assistant attorneys general. Now it develops there is no way to pay such assistants. A Legislative act to solve the problem is to be sought, it is understood.

Attack on Guy

More than 100 depositors in the Belmont Trust heard a veiled attack on Ex-Bank Commissioner Arthur Guy by attorney George P. Drury, chairman of the "depositors' committee," and others. and others.

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"We are not asking merely for an investigation of the events which led up to the failure of the Belmont Trust Company," said Drury; "we are even more interested in the conduct of the affairs of that trust company after it failed by the former Commissioner of Banks and, particularly, in his failure to collect certain obligations due that closed bank, his failure to pursue certain lines of inquiry which might have led to the enforcement of certain stockholders' obligations toward it, and his direct violations of statute in failing to make a report to depositors required by Chapter 241, Acts of 1934."

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Joseph E. Perry of Belmont, a director in the bank, said:
"I resent these people who took no time to save the bank, but are now using it for political purposes."

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Compromise Candidate Is Likely to Be Picked

Patrick J. Connelly of 16 Stanley. st, Dorchester, assistant superintendent of mails in Boston and a Civil Service postal employe for 39 years, appeared last night as a possible compromise choice of President Roosevelt for the position as postmaster of Boston.

The postmastership has become one of the most troublesome problems the present Administration at Washington, because of the desire of business men and others to retain Postmaster William E. Hurley, whose term has expired, and the insistence

of Gov Curley that Ex-Congressman Peter F. Tague be given the post.

According to word from Washington last night, Asst Supt Connelly, a civic leader in the city, a Demo-



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crat and a career man in postoffice service, was being considered by the President as a satisfactory compro-

Mr Connelly is a brother of Judge Thomas H. Connelly of the Brighton District Court, private secretary to United States Senator David I. Walsh when the latter was Governor of Massachusetts. Mr Connelly is understood to be satisfactory to Senator Walsh, if it is decided that Postmaster Hurley is not to retain his

position.

Authoritative sources indicated that the President will order a Civil Service examination, which will automatically eliminate Postmaster Hur-

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Postmasier Hurley said he would make no comment until official word comes from Washington, but indicated that he is hopeful that no change will be made in his present status. He could remain indefinitely as postmaster until a successor is appointed. pointed.
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Mr Connelly began his career as a clerk in the Boston Postoffice in 1895. He has been a Civil Service employe for 39 years. Recently he was named assistant superintendent of mails. He is president of the Dorchester Board of Trade, vice president of the United Improvement Association of Boston, chairman of the Red Cross in Dorchester, vice president of the Boy Scouts there, president of the Federation of Clergymen of Dorchester on welfare, chairman of the welfare committee on Federal good vice chairman of the N. R. A. in Boston last year and formed all the compliance boards.

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of relief which are permanent and not brought on by the depression. If such items as mothers' aid, hospitalization, old-age assistance and the like were included, the total of all forms of relief expenditure, both temporary and permanent, would reach nearer \$10,000,000, Mr. Rotch

The relative costs of job and cash relief, which could be calculated from Mr. Rotch's statement, were welcomed as throwing light on the present congressional debate in Washington, where the two forms of relief are under heated discussion. Massachusetts citizens could sion. Massachusetts citizens could discover that within their state borders the Administration policy of job relief would cost approximately

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They could offset this added cost by statements of national relief officials, that a cash dole would destroy the morale of the working class, whereas job relief would tend to send the worker back into more profitable the worker back into more profitable private employment as soon as such jobs opened up.

Child Law Again Urged

The legislative campaign for State The legislative campaign for State ratification of the child labor amendment, giving power to Congress to regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under 18 years of age, was re-opened with vigor today by Massachusetts labor.

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The financial liability of directors of the closed Belmont Trust Company to the depositors is under investigation by special counsel to the Bank Commissioner, it was disclosed yesterday at a hearing of the Legislative Joint Rules Committee.

Attorney Arthur Bickford of Boston has been hired by Bank Commissioner Henry H. Pierce to look

into the problem. He was engaged for the task Jan 15, it was stated. If attorney Bickford finds any evidence of criminal acts, such evidence will be turned over to Atty Gen Dever, it was stated in a letter written by Mr Pierce to Pres Moran of the Senate and Speaker Saltonstall of the House.

Speaker Gives Facts

It was learned that the Attorney General had been contemplating an investigation of the banks up to the time he was informed of the Bick-

ford inquiry.

The information concerning the The information concerning the Belmont bank inquiry was given by Speaker Saltonstall at a hearing before the Joint Rules Committee on a petition for investigation of the trust company by a special Legislative committee tive committee.

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In view of Gov Curley's recent denunciation of employing outside counsel in bank cases, the announcement of Bickford's engagement in the Belmont case created a considerable stir. Bickford was named two weeks before the Governor's edict to the banking department.

It has been the intention of Gov Curley to turn the legal work of liquidating closed banks over to the Attorney General's office to be done by assistant attorneys general. Now it develops there is no way to pay such assistants. A Legislative act to solve the problem is to be sought, it is understood.

Attack on Guy

More than 100 depositors in the Belmont Trust heard a veiled attack on, Ex-Bank Commissioner Arthur Guy by attorney George P. Drury, chairman of the "depositors' committee," and others.

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"We are not asking merely for an investigation of the events which led up to the failure of the Belmont Trust Company," said Drury; "we are even more interested in the conduct of the affairs of that trust company after it failed by the former Commissioner of Banks and, particularly, in his failure failed by the former Commissioner of Banks and, particularly, in his failure to collect certain obligations due that closed bank, his failure to pursue certain lines of inquiry which might have led to the enforcement of certain stockholders' obligations toward it, and his direct violations of statute in failing to make a report to depositors required by Chapter 241, Acts of 1934."

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On behalf of four of the 11 directors of the bank, J. Watson Flett, Boston attorney, pointed out that the bank did not close until the bank holiday. He said that 83 percent of the deposits have been paid, that more than 10,000 of the 14,000 depositors in the bank have been paid in full and that the directors gave \$225,-000 in an effort to save the bank.

full and that the directors gave \$225,-000 in an effort to save the bank. Joseph E. Perry of Belmont, a di-rector in the bank, said: "I resent these people who took no time to save the bank, but are now using it for political purposes."

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CONNELLY MAY BE POSTMASTER HERE

Compromise Candidate Is Likely to Be Picked

Patrick J. Connelly of 16 Stanley. st, Dorchester, assistant superintendent of mails in Boston and a Civil Service postal employe for 39 years, appeared last night as a possible compromise choice of President Roosevelt for the position as postmaster of Boston.

The postmastership has become one of the most troublesome problems of the present Administration at Washington, because of the desire of business men and others to retain Postmaster William E. Hurley, whose term has expired, and the insistence

of Gov Curley that Ex-Congressman Peter F. Tague be given the post.

According to word from Washing-ton last night, Asst Supt Connelly, a civic leader in the city, a Demo-



PATRICK J. CONNELLY Assistant superintendent of mails

crat and a career man in postoffice service, was being considered by the President as a satisfactory compromise.

Mr Connelly is a brother of Judge Thomas H. Connelly of the Brighton District Court, private secretary to United States Senator David I. Walsh when the latter was Governor of Massachusetts. Mr Connelly is understood to be satisfactory to Senator Walsh, if it is decided that Postmaster Hurley is not to retain his

position.

Authoritative sources indicated that the President will order a Civil Service examination, which will automatically eliminate Postmaster Hur-

matically eliminate Postmaster Hurley.
Gov Curley again said last night
that he is confident Mr Tague will be
selected if the examination is held.
Postmaster Hurley said he would
make no comment until official word
comes from Washington, but indicated that he is hopeful that no
change will be made in his present
status. He could remain indefinitely
as postmaster until a successor is appointed.

Mr Connelly admitted that he knew that his name had been submitted to the President, but would not discuss the situation further.

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Mr Connelly began his career as a clerk in the Boston Postoffice in 1895. He has been a Civil Service employe for 39 years. Recently he was named assistant superintendent of mails.

He is president of the Dorchester Board of Trade, vice president of the United Improvement Association of Boston, chairman of the Red Cross in Dorchester, vice president of the Boy Scouts there, president of the Boy Scouts there, president of the Federation of Clergymen of Dorchester on welfare, chairman of the welfare committee on Federal good vice chairman of the N. R. A. in Boston last year and formed all the compliance boards.

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Curley Criticized On Utality Stand

Governor Curley was sharply crit-icized as actually hindering sizable reductions in electric and gas retes, by appointing a committee of three laymen and three public utility officials to attempt reductions.

The criticism was voiced by Wycliffe Marshall, Watertown attorney, active for some time in seeking rate reductions. He declared before the committee on power and light that "under the leadership of light that "under the leadership of the Legislature in this matter, the Governor should work as one of many desirous for cheaper elec-

Mr. Marshall charged the Governor with fraternizing with utility companies over matters which come under the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Department, and at the same time criticizing the utilities di-

Threat of confiscation is doubtful substitute for existing orderly regulation established by our Constitution and laws," he said.

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CURLEY ASKS REMOVAL OF PEABODY MAN

Removal of John A. Jones of Peabody as director of the Division of Employment in the State Department of Labor and Industries has been reof Labor and Industries has been requested of the labor commissioners by Gov Curley. Jones, a former member of the House of Representatives was defeated for remember of the House of Representa-tives, who was defeated for re-election in the primaries last year, had been a staunch supporter of Ex-Ha way appointed to his had been a staunch supporter of ExGov Ely. He was appointed to his
present position Dec 28 in the closing
At the office of the Commission on
Labor and Industries it was said
removal of Jones on the ground that

that the Governor had requested the removal of Jones on the ground that his appointment was not satisfactory to the Federal Administration in Washington. The salary is \$3460 an-

Miss Mary E. Meehan, Acting Com-missioner of Labor and Industries, said today she and her associate com-missioners had not yet acted on Gov

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MARSHALL ATTACKS CURLEY COMMITTEE

"Babes in Kilowatt Land," Watertown Man Says

A vigorous attack on Gov Curley's recently-appointed committee which recently-appointed committee which was instructed to endeavor to effect reductions in gas and electric rates, was made before the Legislative Committee on power and light today by Wycliffe O. Marshall of Watertown, who has appeared before the Public Utilities Commission on many occasions as counsel for municipalioccasions as counser for municipau-ties and rate payers on petitions for

He assailed the Governor's commit-He assailed the Governor's commit-tee as just "Babes in Kilowatt Land." "Rate reductions," he said, "will come Justly in many of our communities if there is proper cooperation of all interested parties. Under the leadership of the Legislature in this patter, the terested parties. Under the leadership of the Legislature in this matter, the Governor should work as one of "It is a reckless policy, with restructively the Public, to criticize de-Utilities and at the same time public to from Jesus and pseudo-officially to fracterize with the utility companies over matter under the control of the department.

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ful substitute for existing officers, "Under the most favorable conditions, under the Governor's plan, a the industry is pitted against the leaders of three large power content and their technical advisers—men who have grown up and demen who have grown up and developed in the electrical industry. veloped in the electrical industry. The laymen serving with the utility executives on a joint committee hold dealing with utility questions. Untaken the laymen of the laymen it is confidence in advancing the pubcessions must be won from the utility cessions must be won from the utility representatives by the compelling statements of facts and sound arguments."

Throughout Marshall's statement Representative John Comerford of Representative John Comerford of Brookline, House chairman of the Committee, objected to Marshall's remarks on the ground that they were consideration. The bill before the tion, a uniform electric rate for domestic and commercial users. Despite mestic and commercial users. Despite Comerford's objections Marshall was chairman insisted that his objection

BANQUET HONORS P. EMMETT GAVIN

500 in Tribute to Parole Board Member

The long service of P. Emmett Gavin as a member of the State Board of Parole was recognized last night by nearly 500 friends who met at the Hotel Vendone to honor him with a friendship dinner

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State officials, board associates, school classmates and military compared by the State and his devotion to the State terment of prison conditions.

Commissioner of Correction Arguerant for the department will state in the Union—and possibly the handling of inmates and in the the handling of inmates and in the performance of the principal purpose performance of the principal purpose of a penal institution, which is the protection of society."

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Other speakers were Lieut Gov Joseph L. Hurley. Atty Gen Paul A. Buckley. Rev James M. Gavin of St Mary's Church, North End. brother of the guest of honor: Chairman and Ex-Dist Atty Thomas C. O'Brien. Alchard Oiney of the Parole Board and Ex-Dist Atty Thomas C. O'Brien,

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BETTING SLIPS, FIVE MEN TAKEN IN FALL RIVER RAID FALL RIVER, Feb 12-Led by State Troopers John Nolan and Mil-

ton Gavin of the Wareham Barracks, ton Gavin or the warenam Barracks, four local police inspectors tonight raided an apartment house at 520 identified with betting on horse racidles, including a number of betting

ing, including a number of betting slips.

This is the second raid in this city order for activity against illegal

places.
The raiders arrested Ernest Avignon, 558 Main st, Pawtucket, who was charged with registering bets, and Swordes and James Walls, all of Fall bling implements were found.
All were bailed and will appear in the local court tomorrow morning.

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CURLEY PICKS MCSWEENEY

Will Appoint Him Police Commissioner, He Says

Confident that the Executive Council will today remove Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard from office, Gov Curley announced last night that he will appoint Eugene M. McSweeney, former newspaper man and Boston Fire Commissioner, to succeed Leonard.

Turned down earlier in the day by the Governor on his request for a public hearing, Commissioner Leonard last night issued an attack upon the Governor's removal methods and revealed he had turned in his appeal for a public hearing to members of the Council. The Police Commissioner made

public copies of a letter he sent to the Council, which will be presented at today's meeting. He also made known that Ex-Dist Atty Thomas C. O'Brien will represent him before the Council.

Curley Says He Has Votes

Gov Curley stated that his allegations of incompetence against Commissioner Leonard have been prepared for him by John P. Feeney, his special counsel, and will be presented at the Council meeting.

"I feel certain," the Governor said, "that I have the necessary number of votes."

He then said McSweeney will be appointed Police Commissioner immediately if Leonard is removed and will be ordered to "clean up the situation in the Boston Police Department, answerable to none but the people of Boston."

Raid "Tipped Off"

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Other developments from the murder of Joseph (Red) Sweeney in the Cosmos Club on Broadway last Friday continued yesterday.

Police raided a large and well-equipped gambling resort on the second floor of the building at 7 Merchants Row. Another squad, that of Lieut Charles F. Eldridge of the Warren-av Station, were sitting in an office, allegedly that of a big "nigger pool banker," when the telephone rang and a voice gave a tip that police were on the way to that office.

Lieut Eldridge answered the tele-phone. "Eldridge, Yates and Hudson are on the way over," the voice said. News of the incident reached Supt of Police Martin H. King who called Lieut Eldridge and special officers Joseph B. Hudson and Harvey E Yates to his office. After the talk with the superintendent, the three officers declined to discuss the matter.

Orders Score of Places Closed Lieut Eldridge made a tour of the South End, stopped at more than 20 places suspected of being gaming or illegal liquor resorts and ordered them to close or he'd close them.

An excellent short-hand man, Eldridge took down apparents.

An excellent snort-nand man, Eld-ridge took down answers to warn-ings verbatim and included them in his report to Capt Joseph McKinnon. In the visit to the office of the number pool backer, Lieut Eldridge found the office vacant. He waited a half-hour during which he received the "tip-off" telephone call and made the "tip-off" telephone call and made been assured of their attitude towards one arrest. A youth walked in and his order of removal or that he exwas taken into custody when he was beets to wield the 'big stick' tomorfound to have 25 pool slips. He gave tow. his name as William Walcat of Mont-gomery st, Roxbury. He was charged with being concerned in setting up and promoting a lottery. gave row.

Gambling Outfit Seized

st Station and Sergt Marcus E. him Madden led the squad in the raid at I ref found a completely equipped gaming resort. The place was unoccupied but the officers. resort. The place was unoccupied but the officers seized five pairs of dice, a blackjack table, a dice table, two telephone headsets connected by direct wire with a race track office, and the furniture

More than 500 cards were found in the place, Sergt Madden said, some marked with the name "Brookside Athletic Club" and others marked ic Club" and others marked
-Merchants Row." The cards were taken to the station house.

Murder Victim Buried The murdered Joseph Sweeney was

buried yesterday at Mt Benedict Cemetery, West Roxbury. A high mass was celebrated at St Rose's Church, Chelsea, earlier. Only 25 per-sons attended, mostly friends and relatives relatives.

Capt McKinnon and Lieut Inspec-

tor Harry M. Pierce spent all day questioning witnesses in the case but released them all finally and admitted that no clew to the murderer had been found. The officers believe the slaying was what they call "a cheap murder"—the result of a drunken argument. Among those questioned were a group of chorus girls from a gument. night club. Cosmos Club Loses License

e Cosmos Club, where police the murder occurred, lost its

liquor and amusement licenses terday. The Boston Licensing I terday. The Boston Licensing Board formally revoked them after they had been found in an envelope under the

been found in an envelope under the board's office door when the members arrived for yesterday's meeting.

Capt McKinnon appeared before the board and told of the Sweeney murder and asked that the licenses be permanently revoked. He gave it as his opinion that the actual operator of the club was David J. (Beano) Breen. Breen was held for questioning on the day of the murder and then released. then released.

Gov Curley's refusal to give Com-

Gov Curley's refusal to give Commissioner Leonard a public hearing came yesterday morning after Mr Leonard had written a letter to the Governor requesting such a hearing, and asking that the Governor allow Lieut Gov Joseph L. Hurley to preside "in the interests of fair play."

"An unwarranted gratuity and an "An unwarranted gratuity and an impertinence. An added reason for his removal," was the Governor's answer. "I shall conduct the proceedings and no hearing will be given."

Leonard's Statement Commissioner Leonard's answer to that in last night's statement follows:
"I stand convicted of lese-majeste
in the opinion of his Excellency the

Governor because of my letter of yesterday in which I informed him that I would not resign, and requested a fair and impartial hearing.

"I have requested the Executive Council that I have afforded that fair and impartial hearing.
"I have requested the Executive Council that I be afforded the opportunity of protecting my character and reputation at a public hearing. This, I feel, my long record of public service demands. I am amazed that the Governor undertakes to speak for the nine members of his Council, and the world appears that it they have the council and t

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"NO SMOKING" IN **CURLEY'S OFFICE**

Governor Disturbed by His Visitors' Actions

Add to the woes of job hunters, favor-seeking politicians, Representa-

favor-seeking politicians, Representatives and Senators besieging the office of Gov Curley a new sorrow.

"No Smoking" is the Governor's latest edict. State Police officers and messengers in the executive offices were ordering all visitors today to park their butts outside and to refrain from cluttering up the rarified air of the chamber with their puffing.

For more than one reason has the Governor issued this order. For one thing, when he strolled in through a corridor hazy with smoke clouds he got angry. For another thing, there is now and always has been a shortage of spittoons in the office and the citizens have been stamping out butts in the thick blue carpets, so that today they are pretty well decorated with charred streaks. For another thing, the Governor believes his no smoking rule will help to clear the waiting rooms of addicts to the weed.

Just what is going to happen when Lieut Gov Joseph L. Hurley strolls in with his big black cigar, or chief prosecutor John P. Feeney, whose vest is continually decorated with ashes, or Atty Gen Dever, who lights one cigarette from the butt of another, walk in with their favorite brands, is yet to be decided.

The Governor himself hasn't forsworn smoking, although his pipe is never seen these days and only an occasional cigar. Smoking is permitted all over the State House, at all public hearings and in all offices with the exception of the General Court chambers during sessions.

The daily handout of cigars to the press is expected to be affected, as well, and thereby passes an old Curley custom.

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"The people of this Commonwealth

know that the excesses and cruelties of the star chamber of James the First of England caused its abolition 300 years ago. Is Massachusetts to see a revival of its cruelties? The Governor's statement of today convicts him of the prejudice and bias which I referred to in my letter of yester-

Letter to Council

The commissioner's let Executive Council follows: letter to the "My attention has been directed to

the fact that His Excellency, the Governor, has stated that unless my resignation was received within 48 hours he would present on Wednesday to your honorable body an order for my removal.
"I respectfully request that before

acting on his order of my removal I be granted a fair and impartial hearing by your honorable body." Delays Move on Hultman

Reports that he would ask removal

today of Eugene C. Hultman, ex-Boston Police Commissioner, from his present office as chairman of the Metropolitan District Comm were denied, last night, by Curley. He said he would Commission, by Gov Curley. He said he against Hultman later. The Governor alleges that photo-

graphs and fingerprints cf criminals disappeared from the files at Police Headquarters when Hultman was Headquarters when Hultman was commissioner, but he added that Hult-man was not responsible for their disappearance. He said the manappearance. He said the manappearance. He said the manappearance in the deposit of t He said the man responman who was running the depart-ment." Mr Hultman had no comment make on the Governor's remarks, lat

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WILL ADVERTISE NEW ENGLAND

Governors Decide to Spend \$100,000

After a conference with Governors or other representatives of six other New England States at the Hotel Statler yesterday Gov Curley announced that a program advertising the recreational facilities of New England would immediately be put in effect at a cost of \$100,000. The States will contribute as follows:

Maine, \$20,000; New Hampshire, \$17,800; Vermont, \$6700; Massachusetts, \$34,500; Rhode Island, \$11,500; Connecticut, \$9500.

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Presenting the report of the Council, Pres Winthrop L. Carter of Nashua, N H, and Col William A. Barron of Crawford Notch, N H, chairman of the Council's committee on recreational development, explained that the New England Council is now conducting for the fourth successive year the national all-New England advertising campaign, promoting New England as a recreational area, to the value of approximately \$50,000 annually.

The suggestions as to public works projects in New England of an interstate character for which Federal funds might be available under the relief program now before Congress, were also prepared by the Council. Four types of projects were submitted:

The development of a system of limited motor ways providing adequate means of circulation into and through New England with maximum enjoyment of its scenic beauties.

Reduction of the disease menace and increase in the recreational values of New England rivers and streams through freeing them of pollution.

Flood control, power and storage reservoirs in relation to the Connecticut River and its tributaries.

A program of reforestation and other measures in the areas of soil erosion in New England, estimated to total about 500,000 acres.

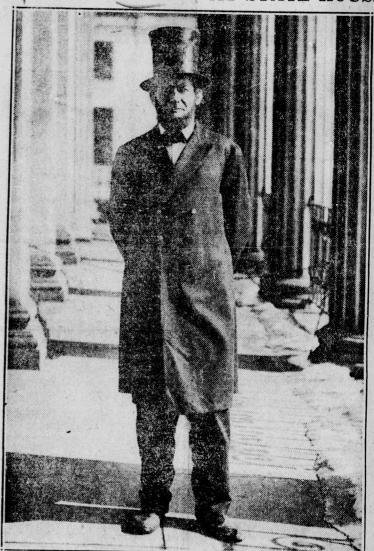
At the luncheon besides Gov Curley were Gov H. Styles Bridges, New Hampshire; Gov Theodore F. Green, Rhode Island; Gov Louis J. Brann, Maine; Lieut Gov Frank Hayes, Connecticut, and Dudley Harmon, executive vice president of the Council.

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DISCUSS CURLEY MODEL VILLAGE

2000 Homes Proposed at Fall River-Freetown

Gov Curley's recommendation that the State erect a model village on State land as part of the Federal

State land as part of the Federal Housing program was given a hearing today before the Legislative Committee on Conservation.

The proposed site is in Freetown and part of Fall River. Selectman George S. Mycock of Freetown delared that there were 5000 acres under option by the State and that Fall River, New Bedford and Taunthe development.

"It is proposed to set up approximately 2000 homes," he continued with \$10,000,000 from the Federal Government. Each home, with its acre or half-acre, would represent an investment of \$5000. With water, gas, ledetric lighting facilities and schools, we would have as so-called model villand \$13 a month.

"There would be no tax problem, as the Government would pay the taxes to the town and Fall River. At Service

SENATE MAKES YORK MAJOR RETIRE HIM AT \$2250 WASHINGTON, Feb 13 (A. P.)—Alvin C. York, noted World War hero would be appointed an army major and retired, under a bill passed yes. Herouse.

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Demand for Milch Cows

A live-at-home campaign conducting among North Carolina farmers has led to a marked increase in the demand for milch cows in that State.

the end of 20 years the tenant would, be given a clear title to the property.

"There is enough land to take care of this proposition and still have suf-good ficient for a State forest."

He recorded Senator William S. Conroy of Fall River in favor of the bill as well as the Selectmen of Freetown. Representatives of the Fall River Central Labor Union and the ast Taunton Building Trades Council in were recorded in favor of the proposition. The proposal would permit the enuse of State land for the building enurgians. program.

There was no opposition.

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FAVORS PLAN

To the Editor of the Post:
Sir-May I say a word in favor of
the plan of Governor Curley to pay
all totally disabled persons a weekly
compensation for life? If this plan
passes the Legislature, it will be a
godsend to those afflicted. My husband lost both hands in October, 1933,
and has been unable to do a day's work
since.

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would not cost the State much to care of those hurt since 1919, and in injured in the future could be no care of by permanent computation insurance.

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DEMOCRATIC CLUB CONCERT

The annual concert of the All Boston Women's Democratic Club will be held at the Hotel Vendome, Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 8 o'clock. The only speaker at the annual session of the women's group will be former Fire Commissioner Theo dore A. Glynn of Boston, who will repsesent Governor Curley.

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M'KENNEY TO ACCEPT **NEW POST**

Will Quit B. C. Coach Job-McNamara May Succeed

Joseph P. McKenney, head football coach at Boston College since 1928, will be appointed associate director of physical education in the Boston public schools today to succeed the late James H. Crowley, the Post learned from authoritative sources last night. At a late hour last night when reached at his home McKenney said he will accept the post, but declared he had received no official notification from the Boston School Board.

TO RECEIVE \$5000

In his new position McKenney will be paid approximately \$5000 a year, which is about equal to the combined salary which he receives as head football coach and professor of history at University Heights.

This will be the second appointive position which McKenney has received within the past month. On Jan. 23

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Governor Curley administered the oath of office to the B. C. mentor as a member of the Boston Finance Commission.

McKenney will resign his teaching and coaching duties at Boston College. The position on the Finance Commission is an unpaid one and will most likely be held by McKenney, at least until his term runs out.

Questioned last night as to his successor in the head coachship McKenney refused to answer, but it is generally understood that Dinny McNamara, present backfield coach and former assistant to Major Cavanaugh at Fordham, has the inside track. McNamara is a former football and baseball star at the Heights, serving as McKenney's understudy at quarterback.

Boston College athletic authorities could not be reached last night to comment on McKenney's new appointment. The Rev. Francis V. Sullivan, S. L. faculty director of athletics, and John P. Curley, graduate manager of athletics, were at Princeton, N. J., with the varsity hockey team.

Regret Losing Coach

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McKenney's appointment as professor of history at Boston College last December apparently made his tenure as head football coach secure. The new state of affairs is a surprise to Boston College athletic authorities, and one that they have little liking for. Faculty students and alumni alike will regret the passing of the genial Joe McKenney from the position which he has so capably filled for the past seven years.

McKenney is one coach who will leave the gridiron without ever hearing the anvil chorus. Since 1928, his first year as head coach at his alma mater, he has turned out uniformly good teams, starting off with an Eastern championship eleven, moulded from a squad which had a most disastrous season the year previous.

He was born in Allston, March 1, 1905. In 1929 he married Miss Alice Ryan of Waltham. They have three children, Joseph, Jr., 4; Mary Alice, 3, and Joan, 2.

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The development of a system of

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Even Gov Curley's bitterest enemies are grateful for the promptness with which he ended the slaughter of deer on Nantucket.

Now if Joseph P. McKenney, football coach at Boston College, resigns to become assistant athletic director in Boston schools, will B. C. stick to the graduate coaching plan?

Wonder what the Duke of Gloucester and Phillips Lord found to talk about when, and if, they met?

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om, which will be held Friday ening at the University Club. Tonight the members of the junior ass will see Dame Sybil Thorndike the Shubert Theatre in "The Disff Side.

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LETTER FROM YOUNG **WOMAN TO KAMINSKI**

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Alexander J. Kaminski, who has been sentenced to die for murder in the electric chair at the State Prison during the week of Feb 17, has been receiving many letters since he was brought to the prison in Charles-town. This morning three letters ar-rived at the prison. Two were from relatives and one from a young wom-an in Springfield who became inter-ested in him.

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TO RECEIVE \$5000

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Boston College athletic authorities could not be reached last night to comment on McKenney's new appointment. The Rev. Francis V. Sullivan, S. Laculty director of athletics, and John P. Curley, graduate manager of athletics, were at Princeton, N. J., with the varsity hockey team.

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Leonard's predecessor referred to by the Governor is Eugene C. Hultman, now chairman of the Metropolitan District Commission.

The hearing now set down for Wednesday, Feb 20, will in effect be the killing of two birds with one stone from the strong right arm of Gov Curley. For it is his plan not only to oust Leonard from the police job, but eventually to oust Hultman from the Metropolitan District Commission job, which he obtained in the last-minute juggling of the Ely administration.

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Gov Curley notified the Executive Council of his plan this afternoor and asked for Leonard's removal, although he did not ask for a vote. The Governor was believed to have been in possession of the requisite number of votes to oust Leonard, but today he said he would prefer the hearing to kill off all chances of Leonard ever getting another opportunity to head the Police Department through a change in the present law.

Gov Curley was one of the strongest advocates of home rule for Boston while he was Mayor, but today showed that he did not want this power of home rule in Mayor Mansfield's hands for fear that Mansfield would nullify an immediate ousting of Leonard by a reappointment as soon as a law, if any, is passed granting him that authority.

Leonard was expected to appear at the State House with his counsel former Dist Atty Thomas C. O'Brien today, but will not have to put in ar appearance now until next Wednesday, when the hearing on his removal will be called before the Governor and Council at noon.

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Text of Removal Order

The Governor's removal order on Leonard was as follows: "I, James M. Curley, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, by virtue of the authority reposed in me by the acts of 1906, Chapter 291, Section 7, with the advice and consent of the Council, do hereby remove Joseph J. Leonard from the office of Police Commissioner of the city of Boston. I do this for the good of the service."

After submission of the removal order, the date for the hearing was set as Feb 20 by the Governor and Council.

Council.

A statement from Atty Gen Paul A. Dever, head of the new crime commission affecting the crime situation in Boston and the State, as well as discussing the Crime Commission's report for a department of justice in Massachusetts, will be made Thursday afternoon Mr Dever said today. He has already conferred with Medical Examiner George Burgess Magrath, who would head the scientific, medical and pathological bureau in the proposed department and tomorrow will confer with representatives of the Massachusetts Police Association before giving out his statement. A draft of the new law creating the department of justice will be made public at the same time.

AUGUSTIN GILL RESIGNS AS LEONARD'S SECRETARY

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Police Commissioner Joseph J.
Leonard today accepted the resignation of his secretary, Augustin J. Gill.
In accepting the resignation he issued the following statement: "At
the earnest request of Mr Gill, a
loyal and devoted public servant, I
have reluctantly accepted his resignation as secretary in order that he
may be restored to his former rating
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"The position of secretary is not classified under Civil Service and the position of stenographer is.

'Mr Gill informs me that he made this request of my predecessor and that it has been his desire to be restored to his former rating.

"He has volunteered to assist me in

any way he can and he will serve as acting secretary until further notice."

LEONARD INQUIRES WHAT CHARGES AGAINST HIM ARE Joseph

Commissioner Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard this afternoon said that he had not been informed officially by the State House that there was to be a public hearing. He said be had received his information indirectly. He asked reporters what the charges against him were going to be, but they told him they didn't know.

Asked if he cared to make a state-

ment on the whole matter before the hearing is held, he replied that he wouldn't care to commit himself at the present time. When questioned further he was a statethe present time. When questioned further, he refused to answer.

Preent in his office during the interview were his attorney. Charles S. Sullivan Jr, and Augustus Gill, his secretary.

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TEXTILE CONFERÊNCE **CALLED BY GOVERNOR**

Conant, Compton, Donham Among Those Invited

In an endeavor to save the textile industry of Massachusetts, Gov Curley has called a conference of textile leaders and professors of economics of each of the 22 universities in Massachusetts, to be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Governor's office.

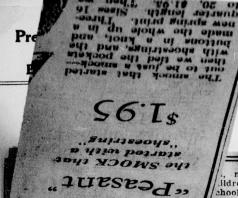
Gov Curley announced his plans last night in his regular Tuesday night address from his office. He said he has also extended invitations to Pres Conant of Harvard, Pres Compton of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Dean Donham of the Harvard School of Business Administration.

Also invited, he said, are the Governors of the five New England

"Two major obstacles must be overcome," Gov Curley said concerning the textile situation, "first the differ-

the textile situation, "first the difference of \$3 per week in the wage scale for Southern mills as against Northern mills, and second, the invasion by Japanese goods of what have heretofore been accepted as American markets.

Gov Curley said that the conference will also take up ways and means of safeguarding for New England the shoe industry. He likewise explained the program he has submitted to Washington calling for expenditure of \$230,522,590 on Massachusetts public improvements.



Authentic sources in the postoffice department disclosed today that an examination would be held soon for applicants for the Boston postmastership—the same sources predicting that announcement of the examination would be forthcoming next week.

Under regulations the incumbent, William E. Hurley, would be precluded from taking the examination, although the administration, if it chose, might reappoint him. However, the fact that an examination is to be held was interpreted here as a definite indication that Hurley would not be reappointed.

The controversy over the Boston postmastership has become one of the most troublesome before the administration. The Postmaster-General and the President originally were understood to have been committed to Peter F. Tague, a former member of the House, and a protege of Governor Curley of Massachusetts.

Tague Also Seems Out

Complications arose, however, in protests against Tague, and appeals for the retention of Hurley, one of the few career men to hold the postmastership of a major office. At one time there was a serious possibility that nomination of Tague might bring opposition from Senator Walsh if and when the nomination were sent to the Senate for confirmation.

Competent authorities said today it was still the desire of the administration to give the position to Tague, but suggested that a possible compromise might be made whereby another career man, definitely recorded as a Democrat, might be elevated to the position. Contelly would qualify in both respects

nelly would qualify in both respects. Should such a course be decided upon, Bay Staters here predicted tonight the appointment would be given to Connelly, a brother of Judge Thomas Connelly of the Brighton District Court. The consensus of opinion was that Hurley was definitely out of consideration, with the choice between Tague and Connelly.

CONNELLY'S CAREER

Has Been Connected With the Boston Postal Service for 39 Years— Rose Through Meritorious Service

Hard work, strict habits, loyalty to his superiors and sympathy for those under him-all over a period of 39 years—have contributed to the popularity and present success of Patrick Joseph Connelly, mentioned in Washington despatches as probably the next postmaster of the Boston district.

Mr. Connelly, whose home is at 16 Stanley street, Dorchester, is 58 years

Iden, one of them a Harvard Law chool graduate, two of them graduates of Boston College, and one a senior at Boston College at present. Born and raised in Dorchester, he has made this section of the city his home and centre of activities.

He was one of a number of youths who took a competitive examination 39 years ago, passed it and became a member of the Boston postoffice department as an ordinary clerk attached to the intown Boston office.

From this humble position as clerk Mr. Connelly rose slowly—occupying every position and grade in the department—until today he is the assistant superintendent of mails with his heart "still in my family, my town and my job."

When not actively engaged in directing the affairs of his department of the postoffice Connelly is busy in the affairs of his district and city. He is chairman of the Dorchester Board of Trade, president of the United Improvement Society of Boston, vice-chairman of the NRA, in 1934, and active in Red Cross and Boy Scouts' activities.

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He is a close friend of both Governor Curley and Senator David I. Walsh.

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LABOR TO SEEK CURLEY'S HELP

Want Support Against Bill on Company Unions

Support of a bill sponsored by the Boston Central Labor Union, which seeks prohibition of the "financing of company unions" by public utilities companies will be asked of Governor Curley by representatives of Boston Telephone Operators' Union as a result of a vote taken at their meeting last night in Tremont Temple.

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Members of the local, after endorsing the bill, instructed Miss Grace M. Barry, president, to send communications to the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor, the New England Council of Public Utility Workers, the Boston Carmen's Union, the "Big Four" railroad brotherhoods and other organizations appealing to them to support this measure,

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MONEY TO BOOM | NEW ENGLAND

\$100,000 General Fund— More From Six States

Following a conference at the Hotel Statler yesterday afternoon with the Governors or their representatives of other New England States, Governor Curley announced than an expenditure of \$100,000 will be made to advertise New England as a recreational and vacation section of the country.

This will be in addition to what each State may appropriate for such advertising on its own account. Governor Curley has already asked for \$100,000 m his State budget for expenditure by Massachusetts.

The \$100,000 expenditure for all New England will be apportioned among the six States as follows: Maine, \$20,-000; New Hampshire, \$17,800; Vermont, \$6700: Massachusetts, \$34,500; Rhode Island, \$11,500, and Connecticut, \$9500.

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it might offer, it is not likely that there will be a woman President for many years.

GOOD FOR THE GOVERNOR

All citizens with any humane instincts whatever will commend Governor Curley for his calling an abrupt halt to the slaughtering of half-tame deer on Nantucket. If the thing had been kept up a week as at first intended, there would hardly have been a deer left in the island.

Such a massacre could not have been dignified by the name of sport. It was too much like going out in the pastures and killing a calf. The deer had become accustomed to man, and many had come to feed out of their hands. What earthly pleasure could there have been in shooting down the beautiful creatures?

The proponent of the "sport" say there are too many deer on Nantucket. If that is the case they can easily be herded up, crated and brought to the mainland. By all accounts they are tame enough for that.

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CLAIMS POLICE SHIELD THUGS

Curley Says Prints and Photos of Criminals Removed From Boston Police Headquarters Bureau

BY LESTER ALLEN

As Boston police made frantic efforts to clean up the city on short notice, yes'erday, raiding Boston's most lavish horse-betting establishment in the financial district, new scandals came to light when an effort was made to suppress a tip-off on a gambling raid, and Governor Curley charged that the fingerprints and photographs of some of Boston's most notorious racketeers had beer removed from the headquarters and photographs of some of Boston's most notorious racketeers had beer removed from the headquarters and photographs of some of Boston's most notorious racketeers had beer removed from the headquarters and photographs of some of Boston's most notorious racketeers had beer removed from the headquarters and photographs of some of Boston's most notorious racketeers had beer removed from the headquarters and photographs of some of Boston's most notorious racketeers had beer removed from the headquarters former secretary and legal adviser to Commissioner Hultman the statement that he knew nothing about. I certainly discuss that," he said. "I do not know what he is talking about. I certainly do not intend to discuss something that I know nothing about."

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It was charged by Governor Curley that the clean-out of the fingerprint and photographic files came during the last two months of Commissioner Hultman's administration, which includes November and December.

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Made Out to Breen

He testified that bills of the Cosmos Club made out to David (Beano) Breen were found in the Sportsmen's Club, and that on Feb. 8 a murder was committed in the doorway of the Cosmos Club, apparently at the head of the first flight of iron stairs at the landing. Captain McKinnon testified that David (Beano) Breen was recognized as one of the active managers of the club and was present in the club when the shooting took place. He also declared that employees and patrons of the club had refused to furnish any information that would help police to solve the crime of the slaying of Joseph "Red" Sweeney, stick boy at the Sportsmen's Club crap game. testified that bills of the Cosmos Club crap game.
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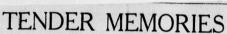
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NO HUEY LONG FOR **BAY STATE**

Curley Methods Are to Be Fought Says Saltonstall

Any attempt to saddle a Louisiana dictatorship upon Massachusetts will be battled to the bitter end by the State Legislature, Speaker Leverett Saltonstall of the House of Representatives promised a cheering group of 500 Republicans at the Lincoln Night dinner of the Middlesex Club, which assembled last night at the Hotel Statler to organize a party comeback for the next election campaign

FIGHT WORDS CHEERED

Although U. S. Senator L. J. Dickinson of Iowa and five other notable party leaders delighted the banqueters with torrid criticism of the national administration, it was the declaration of the presiding Republican official at the State House that rocked the banquet hall with applause.

"I do not believe that, so far as this Commonwealth is concerned," said Speaker Saltonstall, "there is any attempt being made to set up such a system as is striking at the roots of democratic government in Louisiana, but if there is, you can be assured that the Republican and Democratic members alike of the Legislature will combat it with all their strength."

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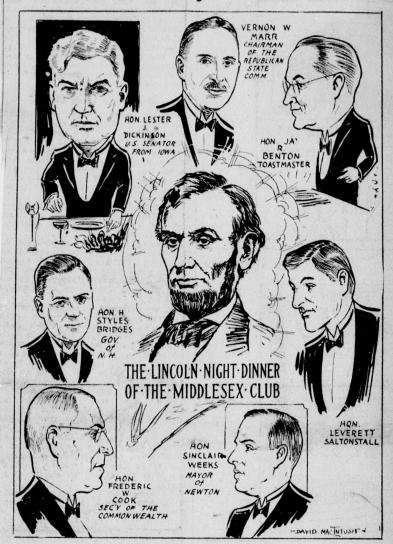
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PUBLIC HEARING SEEN

Speculation ran high today as to whether the council would act according to the wishes of the Governor. Leonard's friends hope the council will grant the request made by Leonard, that he be given a public hearing before any action is taken on the removal order.

Gov. Curley was extremely confident that the council would act favorably on his removal request and asserted that he would not make the attempt to ous Leonard unless he was sure of sufficient

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Leonard to Get Hearing As Curley Seeks Ouster

Here is the text of Gov. Curley's order, submitted to the council, calling for Commissioner Leonard's removal:

"I, James M. Curley, Governor of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, by virtue of the authority reposed in me by the acts of 1906, chapter 261, section 7, with the advice and consent of the council do hereby remove J. J. Leonard from the office of police commissioner of the city of Boston. I do this for the good of the service.

James M. Curley."

By DONALD R. WAUGH

Gov. Curley today formally requested the executive council to remove Police Commissioner Leonard for incompetency commissioner Leonard for incompetency and to hold a hearing on the request Wednesday, Feb. 20. The council took no formal action, but members said the hearing will be held.

Leonard, advised of the new development, said he would examine the charges brought against him before deciding his course.

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FIGHT WORDS CHEERED

Although U. S. Senator L. J. Dickinson of Iowa and five other notable party leaders delighted the banqueters with torrid criticism of the national administration, it was the declaration of the presiding Republican official at the State House that rocked the banquet hall with applause.

"I do not believe that, so far as this Commonwealth is concerned," said Speaker Saltonstall, "there is any attempt being made to set up such a system as is striking at the roots of democratic government in Louisiana, but if there is, you can be assured that the Republican and Democratic members alike of the Legislature will combat it with all their strength."

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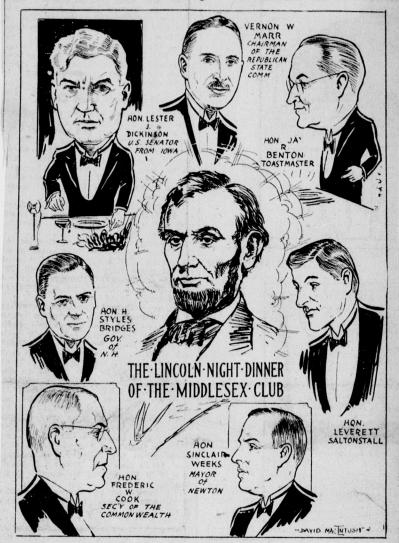
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The Governor announced that the hearing would be a week from today, Feb. 20, and that it would be continued on the following days, even the Washington birthday holiday, if necessary.

The announcement from the Gover-

nor came this afternoon just prior to the holding of the regular weekly meet-ing of the Governor's council and after reports had been circulated in the State House to the effect that a majority of the council would refuse to vote for the removal of Leonard unless and until a public hearing had been held.

It was unofficially reported that at least one Democrat in the council, whose identity could not be learned, was prepared to join in the demand for the

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HARD FIGHT TODAY FOR **GOVERNOR**

Council May Refuse to Oust Leonard Without a Hearing

BY ROBERT T. BRADY

Governor Curley will face the hardest fight of his administration to date when he asks the executive council today to approve the removal of Joseph J. Leonard as Boston police commissioner and confirm his appointment of Eugene M. McSweeney as Leonard's successor under suspension of the rules.

The Governor last night expressed his confidence that he has the votes in the council necessary for the immediate ouster of the commissioner, but members of the council declared that such action would be unprecedented and indicated that Commissioner Leonard's request for a hearing would be granted before action is taken on the removal order.

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Commissioner Leonard made his request for a "fair and impartial hearing" in a letter to the members of the council as follows:

"My attention has been directed to the fact that His Excellency the Governor has stated that unless my resignation was received within 48 hours he would present on Wednesday to your honorable body an order for my removal.

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"I stand convicted of less majesty in the opinion of His Excellency the Governor because of my letter of yesterday in which I informed him that I would not resign, and requested a fair and impartial hearing.

"I have requested the Executive Council that I be afforded the opportunity of protecting my character and reputation at a public hearing. That if the least of the star chamber of public service demands.

"I am amazed that the Governor undertakes to speak for the nine members of his Council, and it would appear that either he has been assured of their attitude towards his order of removal or that the excesses and cruelties of the star chamber of James The First of England caused its abolition 300 years ago. Is Massachusetts to see a revival of its cruelties? The Governor's statement of today convicts him of the prejudice and bias which I referred to la my letter of yesterday."

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"I am confident," he said, "that I have the necessary number of votes—at least a majority of the council, for adoption of the removal order at once. I shall appoint Eugene M. McSweeney as his successor, and Mr. McSweeney will take office with instructions to clean up the police situation in Boston. He will be responsible only to the people of Boston, which will be something of a novelty in Boston police commissioners."

Reports in the State House corridors yesterday were that Lieutenant-Governor Hurley and five members of the council would vote for removal of Leonard without a hearing, and that only three would vote against removal. When his attention was called to this reported lineup of the council, Governor Curley replied:

"I don't know just how many votes I have, but I am confident I have a majority in favor of immediate removal of Mr. Leonard and for confination of Mr. McSweeney."

A suggestion that under a ruling of the case of a Presidential appointment of a postmaster, he might find a legal way to remove Leonard without a legal ring the matter to the council, the Governor said he intends to proceed under the statutes which, although in in conflict with certain provisions of the Constitution concerning appointment of such questions to the council in Members of the council were dieinclined to talk for publication last nith twith reference to the Governor's e-

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That was Eugene Hultman's only comment when informed by a reporter that Gov. Curley said that he would not remove the chairman of the metropolitan district commission today, but would take care of his case later

missioner Leonard, but from those who could be reached the indications, "off the record," were that there will be at least five of the nine votes in the council in favor of giving a hearing to the commissioner, as he has requested.

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QUALITIES OF LINCOLN IN CURLEY

Tague Says Governor Has Same Aims as Emancipator

Governor Curley was likened to Abraham Lincoln in an address by former Congressman Peter F. Tague at the annual Lincoln Day exercises in Faneuil Hall last night.

SIMILAR AIMS, HE SAYS

Speaking before hundreds of persons who filled every available bit of space to attend the colorful ceremonies under the auspices of the Eliot School Association, former Congressman Tague described many qualities he said are part of the character of Governor Curley and the immortal Lincoln.

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He spoke of the tremendous strain under which the Governor is working. He compared the present war against economic strife to the war for emancipation, and he declared that Governor Curley is striving to give the country back to the people just as did Lincoln.

He told of the same "dogged, tireless, determination" and the willingness to toil for countless hours.

The address of former Congressmar fague, now one of Boston's election commissioners, was one of the features of an extensive programme staged by the Ellot School Association. Other epeakers included Sumner S. Shore, president of the association; James E. Lynch, a former master of the Ellot School; Frank J. Herlihy, present master of the school, and Dr. Joseph J. Sasserno of the Roxbury Latin School. The exercises were brought to a colorful close when an ancient Civil war flag, purchased with pennies contributed by Eliot School children in 1861, carried into the battle of Malvern Hill July 1, 1862, and recently rehabilitated, was presented to the present faculty of the Eliot School.

Another of the evening's interesting events was a tribute paid to the colors by a special guard from the Boston navy yard.

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Roosevelt and Lightning

The three-foot model of the clipper ship Lightning which Gov. Curley sent President Roosevelt is reported to have so delighted the nation's chief that he has had it placed where he can see it opposite his work desk in the White House.

An appropriate gift, not merely because the President is interested particularly in ships, but because the President

is what he is.

When the clipper ship was launched in 1854, it was said of her that "no timid hand nor hesitating brain gave form and

dimension to the Lightning."

She had extraordinary lines. Many a man scoffed at her. But her skipper showed her to be the fastest clipper ship that ever sailed the seas. Her record of 436 miles for a day's run has never been equalled.

It was said of her skipper that "he scorned gales."

May the skipper of the Ship of State hang up many a record and come serenely into port!

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CURLEY HOME PLAN IS URGED

Freetown Official Tells of Interest in Proposal

The complete plan advocated by Gov. Curley for the building of 2000 homes on state-owned land in Freetown, and part of Fall River was explained in detail today and strongly urged upon the committee on conservation at the hear-ing conducted by the latter in the State House.

Selectman George S. Mycock of Free-town said Fall River, New Bedford and Taunton were much interested in the plan. He said there was sufficient land there to build the homes and still have sufficient land for a state forest. He

"It is proposed to build about 2000 homes. The federal government is willing to put up \$10,000,000. Each house will have an acre or an acre and a half of land, and will represent an investment of \$5000. With the installation of water gas and electric light and investment of \$5000. With the installa-tion of water, gas and electric light and schools, we would have a model villege. "Rent would be between \$15 and \$18

a month. Houses will be let only to those permanently employed. In 20-years the tenant would be given a clear title to the property. The federal gov-ernment meantime would pay the

GOVERNORSFAVOR ADVERTISING N. E.

Approve Program for States To Contribute \$100,000 To Campaign Fund

A joint program of advertising the recreational and vacation facilities of New England, involving expenditure of \$150,000, of which the several states will contribute \$100,000 in addition to the New England council's annual campaign budget of \$50,000, was approved by a meeting of New England Governors yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Statler.

Their action is subject to that of their various Legislatures in appropriating funds. The motion was made by Gov. Curley and seconded by Gov. H. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire. The vote was unanimous, Gov. Louis J. Brann of Maine, Gov. Theodore Francis Green of Rhode Island and Lt.-Gov. Frank Hayes of Connecticut attending. Gov. Charles M. Smith of Vermont was unable to be present.

The action was taken at a luncheon meeting to receive from the New England council reports on two matters Their action is subject to that of

and council reports on two matters which the governors, meeting at the same hotel Dec. 28, last, requested the council to study. The second problem was for suggestions as to PWA projects in New Fredence which would be England which would be of an interstate nature, for which federal funds might be available under the relief program now pending in Congress.

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CURLEY DEMANDS JONES BE OUSTED

Asks Removal of Head of Employment Division

Gov. Curley today requested the commissioners of the state department of labor and industries to remove -Ex-Rep. John A Jones, of Peabody, a staunch Ely supporter, from his position as director of the division of employment in that department. Jones received his appointment in the closing hours of the Elv administration.

He was formerly a veteran member of the House, but was defeated last year in the Curley landslide. Curley made his request on the grounds that Jones' appointment was not satisfactory to the federal administration in Washington. The salary is \$3460. DeWitt C. DeWolf, commissioner of labor and industries, and former Ely secretary is ill, Miss Mary Meehan, acting commissioner said she and the associate commissioners have not yet acted on Curley's request._

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STATES THAT POLICE SHOULD BE DIVORCED OF POLITICS

People's Editor:

I am very happy to see that Gov. Curley and Atty.-Gen. Dever have interested themselves in crime control, and are seeking ways and means to make our police more efficient so tnat they may better combat crime, which is and has been so rampant in our state.

One of their best ideas is to elimir.ate all police from politics. Police positively should not remain under political control, but should one and all be placed under civil service or some other control remote from politics. At present over one-half of our police chiefs are elected for short terms and serve directly under political control which is very bad. In some places, mostly towns, even the officers are elected yearly. Those interested in putting down crime trust that Gov. Curley and Atty.-Gen. pever will make a complete study of situation and correct the numer-

ils that now exist. ly. A READER.

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State House Briefs

Frank E. Riley of Swampscott, who has been associated with trucking business for 20 years, has been named by the public utilities commissioners as provisional supervisor of motor trucks at a salar yof \$3780. He landed the new berth through the Governor's employment office on the recommendation of Councillor William G. Hennessey of Lynn. Riley is headed for the post as supervisor of the division of motor trucks under the new trucking law when appropriations and other details are ironed out.

Mayor Mansfield yesterday filed a oill seeking a further extension of time under which the city may borrow for Boston airport improvements outside the statutory limit of indebtedness. The petition was referred to the rules committee on a question of admission.

After casting aspersions on members of the committee on legal affairs, during a hearing on a bill to prohibit admission of minors to certain places where alcoholic beverages are sold. Representative Thomas Dorgan of Dorchester was warned by Senator Harry B. Putnam, chairman, that he would be barred from appearing before the committee if there was another recurrence.

Dorgan also referred to many clubs in Boston as "shooting galleries" in his fiery attack on conditions.

"Abraham Lincoln" called on the Governor yesterday. "Honest Abe" arrived at the executive office while the Governor's crime committee was in conference. George F. Madden of Quincy, whose father, George F., of Charlestown, marched behind Sherman to the sea, was Lincoln's impersonator. Madden, a member of the Boston Advertising Club, was later escorted through the State House by Charles O. Holt, sergeantat-arms, who dignified the occasion by wearing his formal beaver.

William F. Dillon of Revere, assistant to the clerk of the Senate, will be married on Washington's birthday to Miss Gertrude K. Tiernan of Chelsea.

Dist.-Atty. Thomas F. Moriarty of Springfield, prosecutor of Alexander Kaminsky, appeared personally at the hearing before the committee on public service on the petition of Senator Francis M. McKeown to increase the salary of the district attorney in the western district from \$4000 to \$6000.

It was brought out at a hearing

before the committee on taxation that the commonwealth's revenue from the consumption of 44,019,979 gallons of malt beverages was \$1,419,999, and from the consumption of 3,553,000 gallons of hard liquors was \$1,421,000.

At the request of Senator Charles A. P. McAree of Haverhill, the Governor plans to have the Governors of the six New England states confer with representatives of the shoe industry, after meeting officials of the textile industry. The purpose of the shoe conference is to draw up a code of ethics for the protection of the industry.

One of tomorrow's most important hearings will be conducted by the committee on military affairs on the petition for the establishment of a national guard camp at Bourne on Cape Cod.

The state department of the American Legion yesterday announced plans for entertaining Frank N. Belgrano of California, national commander, when he visits Boston during the latter part of the week.

Former City Councillor Francis E. Kelly of Boston, urging relief for the small real estate owner, appealed to

the committee on taxation for legislation calling for a tax limitation of \$31 per \$1000 for cities and towns. Kelly asked a tax on valuables now in safety deposit boxes.

Opposition was expressed to the proposed legislation requiring educators to take an oath of allegiance, at a hearing before the committee on education. Michael Flaherty of Somerville made an attack on both the proposals and those behind them.

Charges that constables and other officers collecting unpaid poll taxes onicers confecting unpaid poil taxes are "making huge fortunes at the expense of the poor," were made by Representative Albert Rubin of Fall River to members of the taxation committee. Rubin urged favorable action on a bill limiting the fees in such collections.

Appearing before a legislative body for the first time since his retirement from public office last month, former Atty.-Gen. Joseph E. Warner yesterday urged that the attorney-general have power to prosecute as well as restrain any person effecting a monopoly in articles of common use.

Although there were five dissenters, the committee on cities voted to report favorably on the bill providing for abo-lition of the board of police of Fall

Civil service—10:30 A. M., room 480, committee on civil service, petitions that educational qualifications be abolished in connections with examinations under the civil services laws.

Fishing—10:30 A. M., room 443, committee on conservation, petition to issue fishing licenses without fee to members of the CCC.

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Automobile insurance—10:30 A. M. room 407, committee on insurance, petil.ons to alter present compulsory insurance laws.

Oil burners—10:30 A. M., room 450, committee on public safety petition for leaislation to regulate installation and servicing of fuel oil burners.

Prison-made goods—10:30 A. M., room 460, committee on public welfare, petitions for legislation to further regulate prison made goods.

Minors—10:30 A. M., room 431, committee on constitutional law, petition for passage of resolutions ratifying the proposed amendment to the constitution relative to the labor of persons under 18 years of age. judiciary, petition of the Bar Association of Beston for amendment of law relative to selection of jurors.

Telephones—10:30 A. M., room 446, committee on power and light, petitions relative Jurors—10 A. M., room 222, committee on to telephone rates.

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CURLEY CONSIDERS MODEL HOUSE PLAN

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Gov. Curley has indicated he will consider a plan for relief of unemployment in which "human energy" is listed as a building commodity and which has been submitted to numerous public officials over a period of two years by its sponsor, Alphonse Z. Chaskel.

This Dorchester machinist proposes a scheme resembling in part the recent federal housing program. He would have men from relief rolls build model apartment dwellings off funds contributed in part by the federal government and in part by private banks. They would be paid \$30 if skilled and \$25 if unskilled. This wage would be only part payment, he provides, the remainder to be given in terms of shares in the building under construction "in exchange for human energy." Upon completion the building would be owned by the workmen who built it on a co-operative basis, and these workmen, from rental fees, would pay off the mortgages and in time become property owners in full.

Boston, he estimates, would erect 6000 such buildings at a cost of \$360,000,000 in 10 years. Sufficient work would be created to stimulate business and retire unemployed from the welfare rolls at the same time taxpayers are relieved, he contends.

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LATE NEWS

(Continued from First Page)

AP)—German officials said today that Reichsfuchrer Hitler would ask the allied powers for a plebisette in Austria to determine whether that nation desires to join Germany as a condition to Germany's agreement to a pact guaranteeing non-intervention in Austria.

A bill to reinstate Charles T. Beaupre as captain in the state police patrol was reported to the House today by the public safety committee and referred to the House ways and means committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 (AP)supreme court proceeded with routine business on returning to session from lunch at 2:38 P. M. today, giving no sign that the decision in the gold cases could be expected during the

Police Commissioner Leonard late today accepted the resignation of Au-gustus Gill, his secretary, whom he praised, saying he reluctantly ac-cepted the resignation at Gill's own request. No successor has been named.

A record total of votes was still being tabulated late today in Water-town's Democratic caucus, but it was announced that Selectman Edward D. Holland had been renominated by a narrow margin over Daniel J. Mur-phy, while Tax Collector Frederick J. Colby also was renominated.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 (UP)—Representative John F. Dockweiler (Dem., Cal.) charged today that one-fourth of the Japanese residents of California were ready to bear arms for their native country.

Gov. Curley today appointed Will-lam A. Torphy, who is a law partner-of Lt.-Gov. Joseph L. Hurley, to be special justice of the second Bristol district court in Fall River.

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 13 (UP)—Senorita Alica Parla, pretty young Cuban dancer, was en route today to London, where she said she would teach the Prince of Wales the cucaracha, latest dance sensation of the Havana night clubs. She said he had sent for her.

Atty. Wycliffe C. Marshall of Watertown, one of the strongest fighters for reductions in telephone, electric and gas bills, today made a blistering attack on Gov. Curley's "public utilities committee," terming them "babes in kilowatt land." He appeared before the committee on power and light.

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NAT'L DEFENCE MEETING SUNDAY

Legion Auxiliary to Hold Patriotic Conference in Faneuil Hall

A "Patriotic Conference on National Defence" will be conducted by the state American Legion Auxiliary Sunday at 2 o'clock in Faneuil hall, allying its national defence program with observance of the birthdays of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln

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The auxiliary is also conducting a state-wide essay contest for junior and high school pupils in competition for the "Lillian M. Burnham award of Massachusetts." Senior essay subject is "Peace Is Protection for America with Adequate National Defence" and junior essay subject is "America, the Champion of Peace."

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CURLEY DETAILS WORKS PROGRAM

Outlines Public Improvements He Hopes to Make

A more detailed description of various projects planned in his \$230,000,000 public works program in the state was given by Gov. Curley in a broadcast last night.

Among the contemplated public improvements, all of which would be financed entirely by the federal government, outlined in more detail by the Governor were those to the state prison, the state colleges and to the Merrimac Valley sewerage conditions.

"The state prison at Charlestown has long been a reproach to the people of Massachusetts," he said. "This program provides for housing elsewhere all prisoners now confined at Charlestown.

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"In the department of education I have provided for various projects at the Massachusetts State College, including a new dormitory for women students. The program comprises also an auditorium and gymnasium at the Teachers' College at Framingham, and a gymnasium at the Teachers' College at Fitchburg."

Referring to proposed improvements

Referring to proposed improvements in the State House, the Governor said: "For the State House the program provides new boilers and new electric elevators to replace the relies which have tried the soul of everyone who has visited the State House for many years."



Gov. James M. Curley, center, front, conferred yesterday at the State House with his Crime Commission. L. to r., front, Commr. of Public Safety Paul G. Kirk, Gov. Curley, Atty. Gen. Paul Dever. Rear, l. to r., Prof. Frank Simpson, B. U.; Capt. John F. Stokes, in charge of State Police detectives, Registrar of Motor Vehicles Frank A. Goodwin, Donald R. Simpson, James Ronan, Atty. Henry P. Fielding, and Atty John P. Feeney.

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BANK | Liability PROBED

BELMONT TRUST UNDER FIRE

Possible financial liability by directors of the closed Belmont Trust Company was under legislative investigation today.

At the same time there was a chance that an inquiry would be made as to why the Bancroft Trust Company of Worcester has not re-opened.

Special counsel for the Belmont investigation has been retained, it was disclosed, but two weeks before Governor Curley's edict that state officials would henceforth conduct such probes.

Counsel Hired

Attorney Arthur Bickford of Boston was hired by Commissioner Henry H. Pierce, and if the probe discloses evidence of criminality the matter will be turned over to attorney-general's office,

Appointment of special counsel for the Bancroft Trust was favored by Speaker of the House Leverett Saltonstall. He said the banking department might well assign an investigator. investigator.

The Belmont Trust, it was brought out during a hearing before the joint rules committee, closed during the bank holidays of 1933. The committee was hearing the petition for a review of directors' acts

the petition for a review of all rectors' acts.

On behalf of four of the 11 directors, Attorney J. Watson Flett argued that 83 per cent of its deposits have been paid and that more than 10,000 of the 14,000 depositors have been paid in full.

Gave \$225,000

Directors gave \$225,000 them-selves in efforts to save the bank,

Former Bank Commissioner Arthur Guy was assated for "failure to collect certain obligations due that closed bank" and for alleged failure to pursue an investigation "which might have led to enforcement of stockholders obligations towards it."

It was testified that Belmont se-lectmen said nearly \$90,000 of the town's funds were tide up in the bank, but that in reality the amount was \$133,000.

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AUSTEN LAKE on

McKenney's Football Obituary

HAVING PORTRAYED the college football coach as an indolent and generally overrated fellow, who ought to reform and go to work instead of exploiting the sufferings of the boys

for his own gain, I should congratulate Joe McKenney of Boston College on his fulltime job with the Boston schools.

But I repent my old words. Because McKenney is a museum piece in the coaching field and practically priceless, like the Gutenberg Bible, so that it is a pity to hide this rich treasure away in a Beacon Hill office.

McKenney is a fresh-air man, who never swindled his players out of their rightful glory, or authored fake newspaper pieces, or went around taking bows or selling testimonials.

Being born with a shoe horn in his mouth, instead of a silver spoon, he had a natural aptitude with kids, who always

gave him more of themselves than he asked.

Cav's Legacy to Joe

JOE INHERITED THE B. C. football job soon after Major Frank Cavanaugh let go in 1926, and when it enjoyed an unfortunate reputation, due to the major's lamented talent for tactless sayings and the robust quality of his teams' play.

I never held Cav blameful for this, being an old '49er who grew out of football's barbarous day when coaches lit their cigars from the sparks of their gnashed teeth and harangued their men

in guttural glory growls. The major had a supreme contempt for physical weakness, so that toward the end of his career at Fordham, when his sight failed, his voice dimmed and his knees buckled, he would sit on the

bench and force a ghost of his old growl. And when he could no longer growl he died, a victim of mis-

understood ideals. To Cav a college squad was a small standing army, recruited with a king's shilling and drilled to hardship. And football was a modified form of warfare to be waged in a spirit of give-all

It was a whiskery day to which his old boys refer with a loving curse while tapping their chests and saying, "But, by crackie, we were MEN."

McKenney Recovers the Fumble

BUT WHEN McKENNEY TOOK OVER, B. C. abolished athletic scholarships, forsook the baseball park background, stopped cash subsidies and went back to the strict definition of amateurism.

And Joe, in his pious, big-brother way, became not only a football tutor, but a messenger of good will, charged with wooing back

some of the lost friendship. He taught his kids politeness and the ABC's of graceful co-

ordination, so that officials and rivals were soon saying what a well-mannered, knowing set they were.

But there was not much money in all this, and a good deal of internal suffering, so that Joe would nibble his cuffs and thresh in his sleep, like other coaches.

It was an itchy existence which now he is content to exchange for the cool, cloistered sanctuary of a desk job at richer pay, long vacations and an opportunity for quiet communion with himself. 2 *

Stud Poker Statecraft

THE SMALL FRY STATESMEN on Beacon Hill are poking sticks into the State racing bill like small boys roasting potatoes in a bonfire.

At the moment there are 13 amendments waiting enactment, like 13 pigmy pies made from left-over pastry crust. These range from a charity enterprise to outright repeal, of which the following are samples:

1-No racing on public property. 2-Track percentage limited to 5 per cent.

3-Non-residents of state, or those affiliated with foreign

tracks, forbidden as stockholders, employes or executives. 4-Abolish State Racing Commission and substitute Profes-

sional Sports Commission.

5-All breakage to go to state. 6-State to operate track for charity and sell stock to public,

guaranteeing 6 per cent interest.

7-Repeal the entire racing law. 8-Investigate the commission.

9-Appoint four additional commissioners.

While some of these riders are sincere outpourings of earnest hearts, most of them aim to delay acceptance of the law and the

start of track construction. To build a track in East Boston, or elsewhere, ground work must start not later than

March.

Yet the Legislature can, by adroit blocking, defer settlement until next June, thus preventing Governor Curley from exercising his veto on alterations from the criginal bill until it is too late for 1935.

Bowdoin's Plum Tree

THE BOWDOIN COLLEGE job is the richest small college football plum in the East, paying \$8000 for the head coachship, or as much as Harvard paid Eddie Casey each season. With Adam Walsh still a neck in front, others mentioned are Lew Manly of Tufts, Fred Ostergren of Arlington and Arthur Samp-

Tom McCabe, Holy Cross

A. A. director, telis me that he

will make a determined effort to

Bowdoin Beata

Adam Walsh captained the Four Horsemen, Notre immortal 1924 Dame's eleven.

have the B. C.-H. C. football game moved to Worcester in 1936 ... Babe Ruth's able demonstration with a cricket bat in London recently recalls Don Bradman's attempts to wield a baseball bat at major league pitching during the American tour of the Australian cricket team a few years back.

Where Bradman, accustomed to hitting the ball on the bound with his beaver-tail paddle, failed to nick the baseball with a skinny, beanpole bat, Babe blew his London cricket servings all

over the field.

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MR. BOSTON

ARATA LOOKING DAN O'MAHONEY FOR HOME FOR SET FOR BOUT TROJANS WITH LUTZE

EVEN Governor Curley's enemies are obliged to admit he is versatile.

In the midst of his war against Leonard and Hultman the gover-nor has been called upon to find

place for the Trojans to play basketball.

The Trojans played their last game at the State Armory on Irvington street.

They have been notified by the adjutant general's office that they can-not have any future dates at the armory.

This leaves the Trojans the Trojans Mr. Boston without a hom: court. Dave Arata, treasurer of the Trojans, showed me a receipt acknowledging rental for the one game played at the

"I contracted for eight dates," said Dave, "and had an option on three more dates. The Adjutant-General's office now claims it does not know anything about any agreement with the Trojans. "I spent \$80 building new seats,

"I spent \$80 building new seats, and also paid for extra help at the armory. The fact we were permitted to play one game at the armory should be proof we had some conversation with the authorities in charge there.

"They surely did not cancel drills for last Thursday night, and permit us to charge admission to our game just to be accommodating.

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"The action on the part of the Adjutant-General's office leaves us without a home. We are in danger of losing our franchise. We have asked Governor Curley to help solve our problem."

The Trojans have also placed the matter before Attorney-General Paul Dever. They are anxious to get an immediate ruling so that they can decide on what action they will take in regard to tomorrow night's game.

JOE McKENNEY

JOE McKenney has confirmed my exclusive story that he was a candidate for Jim Crowley's late berth as assistant director of physical education. The position pays a salary of \$5700 and has security.

McKenney has been a success. guard outside of ful football coach at Boston Colfriend husband w family groceries.

coach is always placed on the spot after his team has had a losing

Joe would resign at Boston College if named for the Boston school post.

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McKenney would be placed in charge of the physical development of the Boston schoolboys as soon as Nat Young retires.

Meanwhile he would instill new interest into athletics in the Boston schools. He would prove an able aid to Young.

NICK LUTZE

IF NICK LUTZE can deleat Delta O'Mahoney at the Garden on Friday night, he would draw a capacity gate in a title bout with Ed Don George. Lutze is one of the greatest box office attractions in the wrestling game. Other than IF NICK LUTZE can defeat Dan in the wrestling game. Other than Jim Londos and Ed Don George, he has been the mat game's top attraction.

Lutze is equally as good a card on the Pacific Coast, the Mid-West and in Canada as he is in Boston. He has the sparkle and appeal that win favor with the public. Lutze is a marvelous ring gen-

eral. He is always able to maneuver his opponent into a spot where he becomes a villain. Then Nick opens fire with right hand punches and other stunts which are beyond legal wrestling.

In his two bouts here, O'Ma-honey has been opposed by Ernie and Rudy Dusek. The crowd was

and Rudy Dusek. The crowd was with the young Irishman in both of these matches as the Duseks are rough types of wrestlers.

Danno will have to fight hard to keep the fans with him on Friday night as Lutze is a master when it comes to winning the approval of mat devotees.

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Lutze is a wrestling Adonis, and thousands of the fair sex will be on hand rooting for him to down Danno. Nick is bronzed like a Greek god, and has a smile that knocks the dolls for a loop.

If Lutze were an actor he moved.

If Lutze were an actor, he would require a special police guard to keep his tair admirers from showering him with kisses after each performance

I saw a doll at a Boston wrestling show punch a wrestler on the face because he had been a bit rough to Nick.

The ladies, may God bless them, have been the best fighters since back in the days when they sat on guard outside of their caves while friend husband was hunting for the

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ROURKE

Slated for

FIN. COM. POST

Joseph A. Rourke, former public works commissioner, engineer and "father" of the high pressure water system in Boston, may succeed to the position now held by Joseph McKenney, Boston College football coach, on the finance commission.

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This was learned today following reports that the way is clear for McKenney's appointment by the school committee as associate director of physical education in Boston schools, The position became vacant last week when James H. Crowley died.

Rourke is vacationing in Florida. He does not know that he is being considered for the position by Gov-

considered for the positive ernor Curley.
Speaking of Rourke, Governor Curley once said:
"He is the greatest liability politically, a man can have, but the greatest asset the people of Boston possess."

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CURLEY REVEALS

Appointees

Governor Curley today appointed William A. Torphy of Fall River as

william A. Torphy of Fair River as special justice of the district court of Bristol in place of the late Judge Edward T. Murphy.

The Governor also appointed Hermen C. McStay of Swampscott as trustee of the Danvers State Hospital. McStay takes the place of William W. Lane, whose commission has expired.

> NEWS Quincy, Mass.

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Shall Boston Gobble Up The City of Quincy?

Quincy is threatened with being swallowed up by the city of Boston.

Mayor Mansfield of Boston has taken the first step in that direction.

He has asked the legislature to appoint an unpaid special commission "to investigate and study the desirability of enlarging the territorial boundaries of the city of Boston and incorporating with said city certain other cities and towns under one municipal government or under a borough system."

Like an octopus, the city of Boston, under Mansfield's plan. would reach out its tentacles and squeeze the corporate life out of the following cities and towns, sucking, like blood, their tax monies into the coffees of the Hub: Lynn, Melrose, Woburn, Medford, Malden, Everett, Revere, Cambridge, Somerville,

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Weymouth Woman Wins Kentucky Admiral Title

Kentucky colonels are as com-mon as disgruntled taxpayers since Gov. Ruby Lafoon started the practice of passing out diplomas conferring the rank on his friends and acquaintances, but a Weymouth woman holds the unique rank of Kentucky ad-

She is Miss Mary L. Hughes of 496 Broad St., Weymouth, presi-

and any and a state Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars
At the annual V. F. W. convention in Louisville last fall, the ansachusetts delegates gave Gov. Lafoon a banquet, and several of the officer-cented the second eral of the officers asked to be made Kentucky colonels. Miss Hughes asked to be made an admiral "so the others would have to salute her." She received her commission a few days ago

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Hint Council Favors Hearing For Leonard

Boston, (UP) -The executive council reportedly stood five to four today in favor of granting a hearing to Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard despite Gov. Curley's insistence that he be removed summarily.

Indications were that Curley faced one of the hardest battles of his brief gubernatorial career when he attempted to force through the council at today's session Leonard's immediate removal and confirmation of Eugene M. McSweeney, under suspension of the rules, as commissioner. The governor was confident that he had at least a majority in the council to effect the ouster.

Newton, Waltham, Chelsea, Quincy, and the towns of Swampscott, Nahant, Saugus, Wakefield, Reading, Winchester, Stoneham, Arlington, Belmont, Watertown, Wellesley, Weston, Lexingon, Brookline, Winthrop, Dover, Dedham, Westwood, Nowood, Walpole, Canton, Stoughton, Milton, Braintree, Weymouth, Hingham, Cohasset and Hull.

Luckily for Quincy, the hearing before the rules committee scheduled for Tuesday and only scantily advertised, was postponed. This will permit more time in which Quincy and the other cities which come under the covetous eyes of the Boston mayor can aganize to resist the proposal.

We do not know the attitude of the other cities and towns;

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Braves' Players ! Will Appear Here

The Boston Braves will be well represented at the meeting to be held next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Council Chamber, City hall. The meeting will be an open one and will be for the purpose of completing plans locally to aid the Boston National Baseball league club in their finance campaign now going on. The Council Chamber should be crowded next Tuesday night, as everybody is invited to attend the meeting.

Present next Tuesday night will be the one and only "Rabbit" Maranville, the Peter Pan of baseball; Bobby Brown, former Hingham High ace: Al Spohrer, star catcher of the Braves, and Paul Curley, son of Governor James M. Curley and a member of the Braves' secretarial staff.

Edward G. Morris, city tax collector,

will preside at the meeting. Mr. Morris is chairman of the committee handling the sale of Braves' baseball handling the sale of Braves baseds, ticket books in Quincy. Mayor Charles A. Ross is honorary chairman. The general committee is comprised of baseball fans and sportsmen from all parts of the city.

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ITEM Lynn, Mass.

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SAUGUS

xpect Many Battles at the Annual Town Meeting This Evening.

When Moderator Frank P. Bennett Jr., brings down his gavel on the rostrum of the Town hall at 8 PM., tonight, he is expected to precipitate one of the most interesting

cipitate one of the most interesting sessions in many years.
Indications are that there will be a general rebellion in many quarters against the alleged high-handed actions of the finance committee, who have stripped various departmental budgets to such an extent that they are liable to be crippled for the year. for the year.

Again, there are many indignant citizens who feel that the town citizens who feel that the town should not continue for another year the present system of shutting off all of the street lights in town in rotation. It is said that a street light at \$16 a year is the cheapest form of police protection and that those who agitate for cuts in the street lighting budget are generally persons living in the center of the town where they are certain to benefit by lights being left on.

The finance committee, however, despite the hundreds of protests last

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He has asked the legislature to appoint an unpaid special commission "to investigate and study the desirability of enlarging the territorial boundaries of the city of Boston and incorporating with said city certain other cities and towns under one municipal government or under a borough system."

Like an octopus, the city of Boston, under Mansfield's plan. would reach out its tentacles and squeeze the corporate life out of the following cities and towns, sucking, like blood, their tax monies into the coffees of the Hub: Lynn, Melrose, Woburn, Medford, Malden, Everett, Revere, Cambridge, Somerville,

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Kentucky colonels are as com-mon as disgruntled taxpayers since Gov. Ruby Lafoon started the practice of passing out diplo-mas conferring the rank on his friends and acquaintances, but a Weymouth woman holds the unique rank of Kentucky ad-

She is Miss Mary L. Hughes of 496 Broad St., Weymouth, president of the State Auxiliary of the

Veterans of Foreign Wars
At the annual V. F. W. convention in Louisville last fall, the
Sachusetts delegates gave
Gov. Lafoon a banquet, and several of the officers asked to be made Kentucky colonels. Miss Hughes asked to be made an admiral "so the others would have to salute her." She received her commission a few days ago

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Hint Council Favors Hearing For Leonard

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Luckily for Quincy, the hearing before the rules committee scheduled for Tuesday and only scantily advertised, was postponed. This will permit more time in which Quincy and the other cities which come under the covetous eyes of the Boston mayor can aganize to resist the proposal.

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Braves' Players ! Will Appear Here

The Boston Braves will be well represented at the meeting to be held next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Council Chamber, City hall. The meeting will be an open one and will be for the purpose of completing plans locally to aid the Boston National Baseball league club in their finance campaign now going on. The Council Chamber should be crowded next Tuesday night, as everybody is invited to attend the meeting.

Present next Tuesday night will be the one and only "Rabbit" Maranville, the Peter Pan of baseball; Bobby Brown, former Hingham High ace: Al Spohrer, star catcher of the Braves, and Paul Curley, son of Governor James M. Curley and a member of the Braves' secretarial staff.

Edward G. Morris, city tax collector,

will preside at the meeting. Mr. Morris is chairman of the committee handling the sale of Braves' baseball ticket books in Quincy. Mayor Charles A. Ross is honorary chairman. The general committee is comprised of baseball fans and sportsmen from all parts of the city.

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The Chamber report says: "There will be many who will argue that the present is an inopportune time in which to hold a convention. They will assert that public opinion is in a state of flux, and that ill considered, unwise and impetuous changes in the constitution are liable to result. Finally, the heavy expense involved in a convention would suggest that the possibilities of amendments by the legislative or initiative methods, should first be explored."

The above argument seems reasonable, and it does not seem as if the constitution, after its last revision, needed much amending. An initiative proceding in favor of biennial sessions of the legislature is now pending, and that may take care of that problem. The idea of reducing the size of the legislature has much to commend it. But if the voters would like to take that step, they can do it through the initiative method, without any convention. The cost of the 1917 convention was \$581,000, and in addition, the cities and towns were put to the expense of special elections. Probably the cost of such a meeting now would be considerably more. And remember, it is the "poor taxpayer" who will have to foot the bill.

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The governor told reporters that he was certain of the votes of a majority of the executive council, which has its regular meeting today, to obtain approval of the removal of Gov. Ely's appointee as head of the Boston police.

"I would not make the attempt unless I were sure there were sufficient favorable votes for the two moves in the council," he said.

Along with the announcement of his choice for commissioner, the governor unexpectedly charged that a number of fingerprints and photo-

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The Chamber report says: "There will be many who will argue that the present is an inopportune time in which to hold a convention. They will assert that public opinion is in a state of flux, and that ill considered, unwise and impetuous changes in the constitution are liable to result. Finally, the heavy expense involved in a convention would suggest that the possibilities of amendments by the legislative or initiative methods, should first be explored."

The above argument seems reasonable, and it does not seem as if the constitution, after its last revision, needed much amending. An initiative proceding in favor of biennial sessions of the legislature is now pending, and that may take care of that problem. The idea of reducing the size of the legislature has much to commend it. But if the voters would like to take that step, they can do it through the initiative method, without any convention. The cost of the 1917 convention was \$581,000, and in addition, the cities and towns were put to the expense of Pe special elections. Probably the cost of such a meeting now would be considerably more. And remember, it is the "poor taxpayer" who will have to foot the bill.

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STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 13-Gov. H. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire will not attend Gov. James M. Curley's New England Governor's conference Thursday, which has been arranged to promote the textile industry.

He will be represented, Governor Curley was informed, by Eamund F. Jewell, Manchester, N. H. publisher, and A. Erland Goyette, president of the State Manufacthurers' association.

Governor Bridges' telegram to Governor Curley reads: "New Hampshire is greatly interested in any con-structive plan to aid the New England textile industry. The industry employs thousands in our state. I regret that I cannot attend the N. E. Textile Conference called at your office for February 14, at 2 p. m. 1 am, however, sending to represent the Jewell, publisher of the Manchester Union-Leader and A. Erland Goyette, president of the State Manufacturers' association.

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Curley's Program of Public Works

Governor Curley's program of public works to be done in Massachusetts with federal funds is ambitious and logical.

The scope of it is so great that hardly a community is omitted and hardly a type of public works neglected. Indeed, the governor has said that the program was drawn up with the idea of anticipating important building requirements for 25 years.

Of particular interest to Haverhill and vicinity is the inclusion in the program of the Merrimack valley sewer, widening of the Newburyport turnpike, widening of the Haverhill-Lawrence road, and constructing of the so-called Haverhill by-pass by which traffic through Haverhill to and from Lawrence would be taken from this city's busiest narrow streets.

The logic of the program is emphasized by the amount that the governor asks of the federal government and by the fact that the federal government is called upon to bear the entire cost of any projects that it approves.

Calling on the federal government to assume the whole financial responsibility for the projects is based on recognition of the financial inability of the state and of communities to assume larger financial burdens than they are now bearing.

Calling for the sum of \$230,522,590 to finance the projects is in accord with mathematical logic. Curley reckons that on a basis of population Massachusetts is entitled to \$175,000,000 of the work-relief appropriation of \$4,880,000,000 that the president has asked of Congress. To this he adds \$75,000,000 because Massachusetts makes a contribution to the federal treasury in taxes that is larger than the per capita average for the country.

How much of the Curley program will be approved and financed by the federal government none can predict. It is certain, however, that Curley will press it energetically and that few in the state will do other than wish him success. Press Clipping Service 2 Park Square BOSTON MASS.

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Wardens Busy as Shooting Is Ordered Stopped

NANTUCKET (P)—Hunters' guns, which have reechoed throughout this quiet island since daybreak yesterday in what Nantucketers described as the slaughter of tame deer, were silenced by gubernatorial edict at noon today and the tabulation of the slain herd was begun by game wardens.

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Mimeographed sheets with suggested PWA projects have been prepared for the asking by the city or town officials of the state, which can be obtained at the State House.

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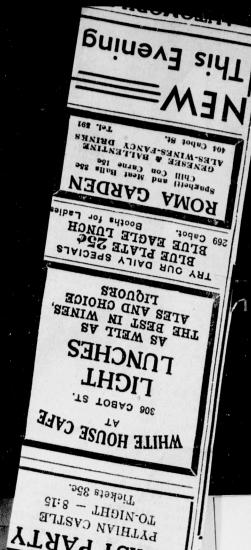
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An Important Conference

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Asia and Central Europe, and the dangers that confront the whole nation at the present moment.

Speaking of the textile industry, Governor Curley called attention to the serious danger from the importation of textile fabrics from Japan and India, and the fact that our home industries are fighting a desperate battle to survive this competition. He mentions the mills that have been forced to close be-cause of the lack of orders from the home markets; markets that have been taken away from us because of indifference of



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those who should be most vitally interested.

He mentioned the desperate condition of the shoe in-dustries of this state, as well as other states of New England, from the competition of the new shoe manufacturing plants in Central Europe, where wage standards are so much lower than our own that the situation of the American workers in this industry is disheartening unless something is done to assist these and the textiles in meeting the competition from abroad.

New England industries require some defense, and it very appropriate that the governors of the New England states, as well as those who can give purposeful suggestions and offer remedies, are invited to attend this conference at

Boston tomorrow.

For months, the Telegram and Sun have been urging that something of this kind be started. They have called attention to the necessity of saving our home markets for home producers and the thousands of our citizens who are employed by these industries. We must maintain the high standard of our workers, we must protect the industries in which they are employed. The interest of the worker and that of the industry are identical. They must stand or fall together. The results of that conference will be watched by thousands of men and women in this commonwealth with tremendous interest. From it, we hope, some constructive program can be arranged through which the public can be awakened to the necessities of the time and officials be shown a course that will so greatly benefit all of New England.

This is a very purposeful move that Governor Curley has made. It has for its object the preservation of New England as this section of the country has always been—an industrial producer of immense importance. In fact, it was the original industrial section of the continent; the section from which has gone those who have created industrial development in other parts of the country.

Governor Curley deserves praise for his action at this time in calling a conference to devise ways of assisting New England and its basic industries. With Congress and the legislature in session, it is the logical time to begin action.

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request of Sen. McAree (D.) of Haverhill, Governor Curley at the conference of New England Governors Thursday on the textile industry will have the governors confer at 4 P. M., with representatives of the shoe industry in Massachusetts.

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CHANGES IN THE LAW

The Boston American had the

"Certain discontented tors have drafted a flock of amendments to the State Racing bill, which, if accepted, would scare track capital out of the state. flock Governor Curley has let it be known that these boggy-riders to the original referendum will have to pass his veto.

"This is on the multiple theory that: (1) The people have voted racing in. (2) Construction and operation will employ many men.
(3) Massachusetts betting money
will be kept at home. (4) Revenue
for the East Boston tunnel will be increased.

"Despite reports that there may be no racing in Massachusetts this year, owing to legislative tampering and frightened capital, Governor Curley has promised flatly: 'There will be racing this summer'."

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HAPPENINGS BEACON HILL

(Special to the Times.)

State House Boston, February 13.

—That a concerted effort is being made to present definite projects in connection with an allocation of funds from the Washington PWA authorities, was learned today with the visit to the office of Governor James M. Curley of Mayor George H. Newell of Gloucester.

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Mimeographed sheets with suggested PWA projects have been prepared for the asking by the city or town officials of the state, which can be obtained at the State House. In addition, Thomas B. Parker, state engineer for the PWA administration, with offices in the Federal Building, Boston, is distributing blanks for projects. Mayor Newell was among the mayors of Massachusetts cities who, today, obtained a number of such blanks.

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The new projects are designed to originate with the local officials, while the previously announced \$230,-000,000 program was the result of Gov. Curley's activity or that of various state department heads.

Interest centered this afternoon at

the offices of the executive council. which body was expected to receive the notice from Gov. James M. Cur-ley of the removal from office of Boston's police commissioner, Joseph J.

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The commissioner of corporations and taxation, Henry F. Long would be required to gather such reports and check the collection of receipts and other data. Representatives of this industry opposed the legislation on the grounds that such regulation and checking by the state would be discrimination against wrestling and professional hockey games.

The legal affairs committee consid-

ered yesterday the petitions filed by Representative Frank L. Floyd of Manchester, for further restrictions on the handling of alcoholic beverages by women in taverns and pro-hibiting them from working or serving liquor in taverns.

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tary of State Frederic W. Cook that the state organization was behind a Middlesex county candidate. The expression made by Secretary Cook was interpreted as announcement of Republican support for Robert T. Bushnell fiery foe of the present state administration.

Complications in the possible list sof candidates for Republican standard bearer were presented when Sinclair Weeks of Newton delivered an attack on the Democratic regime upholding Republicans who y have not "comprised principle to get votes." Mayor Weeks is discussed as a potential candidate for the Governrohsip.

The four leaders believed to be in the field to date include Speaker Leverett Saltonstall of the House of Representatives, District Attor-ney Warren L. Bishop of Middle-sex, Robert T. Bushnell and Mayor Weeks.

Neither Robert T. Bushnell nor District Attorney Bishop appeared at the club dinner, the official function of the club and the opportune time to make public, political ambitions.

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NEWS Amesbury, Mass.

"NO FIXING"

Most of us supposed the fixing of Tautomobile cases was "past history" but maybe we were mistaken. Maybe, also, a "new broom' in the Registry will make it a fact.

Strict enforcement of the automobile laws and "no fixing" will be the major weapons with which Frank A. Goodwin, as Massachusetts' new registrar of motor vehicles, will war on drunken drivers, he told the United Press in an interview after Governor Curley had given him the oath of office.

Asked if, in his new post, would continue his fight for a flat rate of \$18 for compulsory auto insurance, he said: "The registry has nothing to do with automobile insurance rates except indirectly by cutting down accidents. Under the present system, automobile insurance rates will continue going up. There either ought to be a state fund or the insurance law ought to be repealed."

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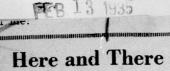
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G. O. P. TAKES FIRE FROM GOV. CURLEY

BOSTON, Feb. 13 (INS)-Learning that Republican leaders were drafting a bill as proposed in his inaugural message taking the Boston police commissionership out of executive appointment, Governor Curley this afternoon announced he was granting a public hearing on the removal of Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard. It had been announced the governor planned to appoint Eugene M. McSweeney, former fire commissioner.

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SENTINEL Fitchburg, Mass.



That must have been sport" down on Nantucket island Monday, when hunters thronged there for the first open season on deer since these animals first made homes there. Whether the first day's kill ran as high as 84, which some say, or fell far short of that mark, makes no particular difference. It was a slaughter and nothing else, and Governor Curley did quite the right thing by closing the season at the end of the first day. More than 100 hunters were out on the island, and few of the estimated 300 deer would have been left alive at the end of the week had not there been intervention. In the way of history, it is said that some 10 years ago a big buck deer, found swimming in distress some distance from shore, was rescued and towed to the island. A bit later a wealthy Washingtonian turned loose on the island two doe, and from this start the present herds have come. Which shows how prolific the deer family is when left alone.

There are two sides to the deer question, as well as to any other. You can't have deer running wild in cultivated communities, as most any farmer will tell you. They are enormously destructive at times, for they feed like cattle, taking garden crops in their stride and wrecking young trees in orchards. No agriculturist has yet been discovered, no matter how much he likes wild life, who can take with serenity an invasion of his premises by a feeding herd of deer. Down on Nan-tucket, as elsewhere in this state, land owners have the right to pro-tect their property against deer damage, even to the use of the gun, but this has not served wholly as a corrective. Consequently, the deer corrective. Consequently, the question is a serious problem.

It is not a problem properly solved, however, by giving protection to deer for years until they in places become as tame as calves, and then turning loose against them a whole countryside of men and boys armed with guns. In a way it is too bad that an attempt was ever made to restore the deer family to its place in New England wild life. Years ago they were nearly gone, its place in New England wild life. Years ago they were nearly gone, and the survivors were so wild that they quite well cared for themselves in all seasons, save that winter feeding was not always happy. Then came a long closed season, during which time they multiplied rapidly. They were commonly seen in the which time they multiplied rapidly. They were commonly seen in the woods, and even on the outskirts of towns and big cities. No man's hand was raised against them, nor might does legally chase them. That perdogs legally chase them. That period was just the build-up for the prospective pay-off season—and the deer have paid heavily for many years now.

In a certain sense this deer ques-tion is akin to that of a river running through an industrial commu-nity. Because the stream was there, the community grew up along its banks, for water power. As industry grew, the community grew. The stream was the natural method of carrying away a community's waste, and before long the stream became polluted until it was nothing more than an open sewer, carrying death to the fish that once lived there and noxious odors and often worse to inhabitants of the community. You can't have a crystal stream running through a crystal stream running through a city, nor can you have great herds of deer running wild where agriculture flourishes.

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no right to force him to pick up the life he had discarded. To be sure, a rationalist would have little diffirationalist would have fittle diffi-culty in explaining the odd experi-ence this man had—his emergence, while dead, into a light, spacious room, where he greeted his dead friends who had died years before. Any psychologist could think offband of half a dozen could think, offhand, of half a dozen impressive-sounding would reduce the whole matter to a relatively simple explanation. But it relatively simple explanation. But it is doubtful if this would impress the hero of the odd experience very much. He died and he returned to life, and he brought back with him a strange, unearthly memory. The memory will unquestionably remain green and color his thoughts and actions for the rest of his life.

Hawaii is being called the south-western corner of the United States by those who seem capable of talking the intervening ocean dry.

Heavy water may be new to scien-ists, but not to the boy who ha tists, but not to the boy who has had to lug pail after pail of it from the well.

The elder Dionnes should be feted and advertised every now and then and advertised every now and then if only to remind people that the quintuplets have parents.

lecturer told a New York audience that we already can feel the chill of another ice age, due in 200,000 have bed But that may have ay Webb and Rudy years. But that may have been only Fay Webb and Rudy Vallee looking at each other as they come

into court. reason the centenarian crop so short has been discovered. Chicago woman, 101, says nobody lives that long except by minding his own business.

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On Beacon Hill Yesterday

(By the Associated Press) Gov. Curley announced he would ask the Legislature Friday for authority to create a state department of justice, similar in purpose and operation to the federal organization bearing that name.

In an effort to prevent continued migration of the textile and shoe manufacturing industries from New England, governors of the five states in this region will confer tomorrow with leaders in the industries and with the "brain trust" of Gov. Cur-

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> > ITEM

BURDITT HILL LOSES CONTES GD)

Local Athletic Club Dro Furious 39-34 Game to Be lin Town Team

The Burditt Hill Athletic Chie lost a bruising 39-34 basketb game to the Berlin Town team Berlin Tuesday night.

It was a battle all the way w both teams turning loose eve thing they had to win.

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COMPROMISE SEEN ON HUB P. A. POST

Ex-Walsh Aide Suggested For Postmastership

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP)-Patrick Con-A suggestion that nelly, secretary to Senator Walsh when the latter was Governor of Massachusetts, might be selected as a compromise candidate for the Boston postmastership was advanced today by Bay State Democrats in the capital.

Authentic sources in the office department disclosed today that an examination would be held soon for applicants for the Boston postmastership—the same sources predicting that announcement of the examination would be forthcoming next week.

Troublesome

Under regulations, the incumbent, William E. Hurley, would be precluded from taking the examination, although the Administration, if it chose, might reappoint him. However, the fact an examination is to be held was interpreted here as a definite indication that Hurley would not be reappointed.

The controversy over the Bostor postmastership has become one of the most troublesome before the Administration. The postmaster Administration. The postmaster general and the President originally were understood to have been committed to Peter F. Tague, former member of the House, and protege of Governor Curley of

TELEGRAM Worcester, Mass.

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'Lincoln' Sees State House

By Telegram State House Reporter
BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Charles O.
Holt of Somerville, sergeant-atarms of the Legislature, donned
his high hat today and escorted
George F. Madden of Boston into
Governor Curley's office and
around the State House. Mr. Madden received all this attention because he was impersonating Abraham Lincoln in honor of Lincoln's
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EDITORIAL NOTES

All this fuss about the Supreme court decision means nothing to us except the gold in our teeth and our dentist says the sooner we get rid of both the better we'll be. It's the only way gold concerns us.

It seems so foolish to ask the legislature for the right of police to enter clubs when all they would be obliged to do to enter would be to ask for a card and cough up 50 cents. Why bother the legislature?

Governor Curley, because he "liked that car" rides in one costing \$5000. But he sternly warns Democratic legislators there would be no increases allowed over the budget he had prepared for them. Consistency.

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The Nantucket Deer Kill

Monday was a field day for those hunters who had heard of the law quietly adopted a few days previous declaring a week's open season on deer on Nantucket island. This was an opportunity of opportunities. There had been virtually no deer shooting on that little island during the ten years since the first deer family was established there. The deer had, as a consequence become tame and plentiful. It was estimated that there were about 300 deer last Sunday.

That was before the open season began Monday. Now there are, according to best reports, about 100 fewer deer on Nantucket. For a hundred eager hunters began shooting at or soon after 6:17 a. m. Monday. At 6:18 one man shot In a minute or two his companion brought down a doe. Few gunners failed to get deer. It was a field day. Angered residents of the island flooded the State House in Boston with protests. And the Governor, who had signed the hunting law a few days earlier, hastily or-

dered the killing stopped. Now that the smoke of the slaughter guns is clearing, many a citizen will want to know why the Nantucket deer were thus, in effect, set up like so many practice targets for hunters to knock over. So far as can be discerned there was little "sportsmanship" involved in the affair. It was a case, for the first few hours at least, of walking up and blazing away at unsuspecting animals. Except for the swamps, suspecting animals. Except for the swa there was nowhere for the deer to flee. island is but fifteen miles long and from two to three miles wide on an average. And that's an area of a size frequently swept by a single "drive" hunt, a method to which some hunters

are partial.

The explanation given for the hunting was that the deer were becoming too numerous and doing too much damage to gardens and property. Residents of the island, judging by their reaction to the hunting, didn't mind the damage.

This episode, happily brief, has been nothing to be proud of. The law providing for a week's hunting on the island annually ought to be repealed promptly. When residents think there are too many deer on the island, they can notify proper authorities. And then some more humane and decent way of reducing the deer population may be found, something preferable to the method of wholesale slaughter used this time.

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> TRANSCRIPT Holyoke, Mass.

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TEXTILE LEADE'S TO

CONFER WITH CURLEY
BOSTON, Feb. 13—Textile leaders and professors of economics at a conference here tomorrow afternoon, will discuss with Governor Curley means of saving the Massachusetts textile industry.

President James B Conant of

Massachusetts textile industry.
President James B. Conant of
Harvard, President Karl T. Compton of Massachusetts Institute of
Technology and Dean Wallace B.
Dunham of Harvard Business
School are among those invited to
attend, as are the professors of
economics of the 22 Massachusetts
colleges and universities.

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Curley Files Order Asking Removal Of Comm. Leonard

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TRANSCRIPT Holyoke, Mass.

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Kirkpatrick Rep. Opposes Petition On Child Labor

BOSTON, Feb. 13—Rep. William
E. Kirkpatrick of Holyoke today
before the legislative Constitutional
Law Committee, hearing the petition of the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor, for the passage of
resolutions ratifying the proposed
child labor amendment to the
Constitution, opposed passage of the
petition. Kirkpatrick said that after
24 States had rejected this amendment is again popped into view,
although considered dead by the
great bulk of the public. He believed that the amendment was a
misnomer as, he said, control of
persons up to 18 years of age was
hardly the control of "minors." He
believed that the amendment would
give the Government too great a
grip on education.

The State House expec's that
the legislative Committee on Public
Safety will report late today or
tonight the petition to reinstate
former Capt. Charles Beaupre in the
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This petition was originally filed by
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The bill may have to go to the Ways and Means committee on its financial status and this committee can hold the bill for some time. Beaupre's friends claim that they are not greatly concerned whether the Ways and Means reports the Beaupre petition favorably or not as they estimate that they have sufficient votes to carry it through both the House and Senate. The bill, if passed, would be subject to a veto by the Governor. Although Governor Curley has not stated his position on the Beaupre reinstatement it is generally felt on Beacon Hill that he would not veto a bill to reinstate the former Lolyoke man.

ENTERPRISE Leominster, Mass.

FEB 13 1935
To lift my spirit's crumpled wings in space and silence—finding God!

Enthusiasm

It is to be hoped that, with this latest burst of enthusiasm in behalf of a cleaner, more law-abiding city of Boston, Gov. Curley will be highly successful in his efforts. If he succeeds in throwing out as police commissioner one whom he does not want, and places in office one whom he does want, possibly the city of Boston will be able to rid itself of the gangster, the bootlegger, the nug, the racketeer, and thereby conditions that are fell nigh intolerable in most large cities of this country, and perhaps not.

It was commonly remarked about three years ago that Boston was in a pitiful state, with crime being committed on a large scale. Mayor Curity was then in office as the chief executive of the city, but the tremengous enthusiasm which he has exhibited in the last few days over leaf or alleged conditions in Boston was not seen when he was Mayor of Boston, though it is rememired that he felt then that city affirs in Boston should be in the lands of the local government.

Most criminals are allowed a publication—a hearing—a hearing that is worthy the name, unbiased and free from ersonal feeling. Civil Service officials have the same right. But the resent Boston police commissioner denied that right, and seems defined to be thrown out of office—the interest of law and order, and general welfare of the city of Boston! Some enthusiasm!

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RECORD Amherst, Mass.

D. A. R. NOTES

An invitation extended to all members of Mary Mattoon Chapter, D. A. R. has been received by the regent from His Excellency the Governor and Miss Curley to a reception on Washington's Birthday, Friday, Feb. 22, in the Hall of Flags, State House Boston, from 10 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. Any planning to accept this invitation will please notify the regent.

The quilt bought from Kate Duncan Smith School, Grant, Ala. will be on exhibition at the next meeting on Feb. 19 at Hills Memorial Clubhouse.

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That was before the open season began Monday. Now there are, according to best reports, about 100 fewer deer on Nantucket. For a hundred eager hunters began shooting at or soon after 6:17 a. m. Monday. At 6:18 one man shot In a minute or two his companion brought down a doe. Few gunners failed to get deer. It was a field day. Angered residents of the island flooded the State House in Boston with protests. And the Governor, who had signed the hunting law a few days earlier, hastily or-

dered the killing stopped.

Now that the smoke of the slaughter guns is clearing, many a citizen will want to know why the Nantucket deer were thus, in effect, set up like so many practice targets for hunters to knock over. So far as can be discerned there was little "sportsmanship" involved in the affair. It was a case, for the first few hours at least, of walking up and blazing away at unsuspecting animals. Except for the swamps, suspecting animals. Except for the swa there was nowhere for the deer to flee. island is but fifteen miles long and from two to three miles wide on an average. And that's an area of a size frequently swept by a single "drive" hunt, a method to which some hunters are partial.

The explanation given for the hunting was that the deer were becoming too numerous and doing too much damage to gardens and property.

Residents of the island, judging by their reaction to the hunting, didn't mind the damage.

This episode, happily brief, has been nothing to be proud of. The law providing for a week's hunting on the island appually ought to be reactions. hunting on the island annually ought to be repealed promptly. When residents think there are too many deer on the island, they can notify proper authorities. And then some more humane and decent way of reducing the deer population may be found, something preferable to the method of wholesale slaughter used this time.

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> TRANSCRIPT Holyoke, Mass.

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BOSTON, Feb. 13—Textile leaders and professors of economics

ers and professors of economics at a conference here tomorrow afternoon, will discuss with Governor Curley means of saving the Massachusetts textile industry.

President James B. Conant of Harvard, President Karl T. Compton of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Dean Wallace B. Dunham of Harvard Business School are among those invited to attend, as are the professors of economics of the 22 Massachusetts colleges and universities.

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child labor amendment to the
Constitution, opposed passage of the
petition. Kirkpatrick said that after
24 States had rejected this amendment is again popped into view,
although considered dead by the
great bulk of the public. He believed that the amendment was a
misnomer as, he said, control of
persons up to 18 years of age was
hardly the control of "minors." He
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give the Government too great a
grip on education.

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Enthusiasm

It is to be hoped that, with this latest burst of enthusiasm in behalf of a cleaner, more law-abiding city of Boston, Goy. Curley will be highly successful in his efforts. If he succeeds in throwing out as police commissioner one whom he does not want, and places in office one whom he does want, possibly the city of Boston will be able to rid itself of the gangster, the bootlegger, the nug, the racketeer, and thereby conditions that are fell nigh intolerable in most large cities of this country, and perhaps not.

It was commonly remarked about three years ago that Boston was in a pitiful state, with crime being committed on a large scale. Mayor Curvy was then in office as the chief executive of the city, but the tremencous enthusiasm which he has exhibited in the last few days over leaf or alleged conditions in Boston was not seen when he was Mayor of Boston, though it is remembered that he felt then that city afters in Boston should be in the ands of the local government.

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D. A. R. NOTES

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The recommendation of Riley for the job came through the Governor's employment office, Chairman Atwill said. At the employment office, which the Governor established some weeks ago to care for the hundreds who sought employment at the executive chambers, Frank L. Kane, who is in charge, said he had passed Riley's name along to the Public Utilities Commission.

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GOVERNOR'S PLAN CALLS FOR SUPPORT

Enthusiastic support should be given by all New England people to the plan sponsored by Gov James M. Curley for pooling the interests of this entire area in a concerted drive for advertising the recreational resources here. Attention will be given also to a program for arousing and increasing the interest of tourists in places of historic importance, the idea being to give New England the attention it deserves. Already there are indications that the move will be successful as it has been approved by five of the governors and now awaits action by the state legislators to make it ef-It is proposed to have \$100,000 appropriated by the states and to combine this with the \$50,000 spent annually by the New England council to make a total of \$150,000 to be used in boosting New England and its attractions.

The move is most opportune when there is an increase in leisure time and more likelihood that more families will be thinking of visiting the section than in any year since 1930. Boosting New England at a time when the people are likely to respond will be well worth carrying out. It is an undertaking that has long been held in abeyance due to economic conditions but one which has proven of definite advantage to Maine, where the camping, fishing, hunting and scenic advantages have long been exploited. What has been done in Maine in attracting great numbers of visitors every year can be duplicated in the rest of New England if the problem is handled in much the same way. Less may be expected in hunting and fishing in the other states but there is still wide latitude for activity.

In the Connecticut valley and throughout all of Western Massachusetts the campaign to boost New England will have special significance. The entire territory at this gateway to New England is sure to benefit from it. As a result of the expenditures now planned the huge annual income from tourists may be expected to increase in a very marked way for the advantage of all concerned.

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CURLEY PLANS STATE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT

Will Ask Legislature to Create Organization Similar to Federal Department.

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During the day the Governor held a lengthy conference with members of the State Crime Commission, which he recently appointed. At its conclusion, he said "We are developing a program of united action for the apprehension of criminals and combating organized crime through organized law enforcement. enforcement.

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At a meeting attended by five governors and representatives of the New England council, all New England development organization, it was voted to expend \$150,000 for advertising purposes, subject to favorable action by the various state Legislatures in appropriating the funds.

At the same time the council, in compliance with a request of the governors several months ago, presented projects for consideration. They included development of a system of limited motor ways providing adequate means of circulation into and through New England "with safety, ease and maximum enjoyment of its scenic beauties," reduction of health menaces through polluted streams, flood control and reforestration.

Curley Sponsors Advertising

Gov James M. Curley of Massachusetts sponsored the advertising fund plan, with Gov H. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire seconding it. At present, it was pointed out, the New England council was spending about \$50,-

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JAMES O'BRIEN'S **ILLNESS CALLED TO CURLEY'S NOTICE**

Report Milk Control Board Place Desired by Former Official-Matter May Go Before Council Today

From Our Special Reporter
Boston, Feb. 12—Gradually it is becoming realized that Gov Curley is sparing no effort to oust persons undesirable to him from both major and minor state positions. It is expected that at tomorrow's council meeting, he will take action to depose one of the lesser officials, appointed late in Gov Ely's administration, whose wife is in a hospital having just given birth to a baby.

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Memories of the life of Lincoln were
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Mayor Raymond Cowing of Westfield,
Miss Julia B. Buxton, formerly of the
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Charles W. Bosworth. The charter of
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Entertainment was provided by the
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Other offices where this has happened include Holyoke, where the Republican incumbent has served about a year and a half beyond his appointed time pending displacement. At Great Barrington the postmastership has dangled, untouched by the wand of presidential patronage for more than a year. patronage for more than a year. Boston, like Pittsfield, is wondering about its new postal chief.

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A delegation of milk producers called, to discuss the problem of surplus and a plan for raising the price paid the farmers by one-half cent a quart. They and Governor Curley agreed that price stabiliza- milk in the Jan. 16-31 period as tion depended upon solution of the surplus problem. Then, the Gov-ernor learned that the State Board

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The questionnaire chiefly aims to find out the results on each individual plant of four main obstacles which are believed mainly responsible for most of the industry's troubles. These four obstacles are: The processing tax; competition from foreign made goods, chiefly Japanese; current production in excess of present market demand (overproduction); and the inequality of textile wages between different sections of the industry; for example, North-South wage differentials.

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Butler's Term Expired Two Months Ago on Monday

Postmaster James H. Butler will have been on the job two months, after the expiration of his last appointment by President Hoover, pointment by President Hoover, A dele Monday, Local political observers called, to are wondering if the Pittsfield Postoffice "job" is going to hang fire, with the incumbent's term extended automatically for a long period, as has occurred elsewhere in Massachusetts.

Other offices where this has happened include Holyoke, where the Republican incumbent has served about a year and a half beyond his appointed time pending displacement. At Great Barrington the postmastership has dangled, untouched by the wand of presidential touched by the wand of presidential patronage for more than a year. Boston, like Pittsfield, is wondering about its new postal chief.

Two factors may account for the delay in making changes. One is the President's pronouncement in favor of service postmasters' holding their jobs wherever consistent. The other is the patronage fight in Massachusetts between U.S. Senator David I. Walsh and Gov. James M. Curley.

Some say the postmastership will not be settled for months.

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BOSTON, Feb. 13 (A).-William A Torphy of Fall River was nominated today by Governor James M. Curley as special justice of the Second District Court of Bristol County. He would succeed the late Edward T. Murphy.

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LEE SPORTSMEN WOULD ACT RIVER POLLUTION

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House and Senate meet at 2 P. M.

The Executive Council meets to receive nominations from Governor Curley and possibly consider removal proceedings against Police Commissioner Leonard of Boston.

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Governor Curley announced he would ask the Legislature Friday for authority to create a State Department of Justice, similar in purpose and operation to the Federal organization bearing that name.

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Gov. James M. Curley will personally conduct the ouster hearing against Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard of Boston before his Executive Council.

Before a crowded hearing, numerous veteran and patriotic organizations went on record as legislation requiring favoring teachers to take an oath of allegiance to both the State and Federal Government. The proposal has been before the Legislature for several years.

The much-coveted and rather highly publicized job in the Department of Utilities, which is supposed to lead eventually to an important position, under the new law pertaining to motor trucks, has gone to a man who was recommended through the Governor's employment office. Frank E. Riley of Swampscott, recommended to Gov. Curley by Councilor William G. Hennessey of Lynn, according to the employment office, was given a position with the Utilities Department by a vote of the Public Utilities Commissioners Thurs-

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Curley, in a radio address, said that two obstacles must be overcome to halt the removal of textile plants. These he claimed were the wage differential between the northern and southern mills, and Japanese competition. The conference, he said, was arranged at the request of textile operators, but it also will discuss means of maintaining New England's preeminence in shoe manufacture, threatened by migration of factories to localities affording lesser rents and lower rates.

Although there has been lively interest here in Governor Curly interest here in Governor of New England Governors on the crisis in the textile industry, no invitations have been received here as yet from the Governor's office by any of the local officials or textile men, it was stated yesterday In the absence of any word from the Governor plans for New Bedford representation at the meeting were somewhat hazy yesterday.

Meanwhile, activities are being pushed on the detailed survey of New England's textile industry and the obstacles which it is facing. In New Bedford and Fall River questionnaires were received by many of the textile manufacturing plants in this morning's mail. In some parts of Rhode Island the mills have had them since Monday morning, while in other sections of Rhode Island, and in northern New England they were being sent out yesterday.

The questionnaire chiefly aims to find out the results on each individual plant of four main obstacles which are believed mainly responsible for most of the industry's troubles. These four obstacles are: The processing tax; competition from foreign made goods, chiefly Japanese; current production in excess of present market demand (overproduction); and the inequality of textile wages between different sections of the industry; for example, North-South wage differentials.

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Announcement of concrete recommendations for a war against crime was the highlight of the day's legislative session.

During the day the governor held a lengthy conference with members of the State Crime Commission, which he recently appointed. He said the commission was working on a program calling for united action in prevention of crime and apprehension of criminals.

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is reported to have the backing of both President Roosevelt and Postmaster-General Farley, but friends close to Senator Walsh believe that he has been instrumental in holding up the actual naming of Tague.

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COUNCIL GETS LECNARD PLEA

Group Reported in Favor of Giving Hearing to Commissioner

BOSTON, Feb. 13 (UP)-The Executive Council reportedly stood 5 to 4 today in favor of granting a hearing to Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard despite the Governor's insistence that he be removed summarily.

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Indications were that Curley faced one of the hardest battles of his brief gubernatorial career when he attempted to force through the council at today's session Leonard's immediate removal and confirmation of Eugene M. Mc-Sweeney, under suspension of the rules, as commissioner.

McSweeney was fire commissioner of Boston during the last administration of Curley as Mayor.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP)-A suggestion that Patrick Connelly, secretary to Senator Walsh when the latter was governor of Massa-chusetts, might be selected as a compromise candidate for the Boston postmastership was advanced today by Bay State Democrats in the capital.

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that an examination would be held soon for applicants for the Boston postmastership the same sources predicting that announcement of the examination would be forthcoming next week.

Under regulations, the incumbent, William E. Hurley, would be precluded from taking the examination, although the Administration, if it chose, might reappoint him. However, the fact an examination is to be held was interpreted here as a definite indication that Hurley would not be reappointed.

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The controversy over the Boston postmastership has become one of the most troublesome before the administration. The postmaster general and the President originally were understood to have been committed to Peter F. Tague, a former member of the House, and a protege of Governor Curley of Massachusetts. Massachusetts.

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Complications arose, however, in protests against Tague, and appeals for the retention of Hurley, one of the few career men to hold the postmastership of a major office. At one time there was a serious possibility that nomination of Tague might bring opposition from Senator Walsh if and when the nomination were sent to the the nomination were sent to the Senate for confirmation. Competent authorities said today

it was still the desire of the Administration to give the position to Tague, but suggested that a possible compromise might be made whereby another career man, definitely recorded as a Democrat, might be elevated to the position. Connelly would qualify in both respects.

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CURLEY SURE IN LEONARD MOVE

Feels Certain of Enough Council Votes for **Ouster**

BOSTON, Feb. 12 (AP)-Removal of Joseph J. Leonard as Boston's police commissioner and appointment of Eugene M. Mc-Sweeney, former Boston newspaperman, as his successor, headed Governor James M. Curley's program for tomorrow, he announced tonight.

The chief executive, expressing belief he had enough votes in the Governor's Council to effect Leonard's removal from his state controlled office, said he would appoint McSweeney and order him to "clean up the situation in the Boston Police Department."

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Curley's move against Leonard was an aftermath of the slaying, last Friday night of Joseph "Red" Sweeney, obscure gangster.

McSweeney served as fire commissioner in Boston during the waning months of Curley's last term as mayor. Before that he was an editorial writer for Hearst papers in Boston. He is married and has three children.

Sweeney rested in a newly dug grave in St. Benedict's Cemetery, which received him earlier in the

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day.
Curley stood by his demand that
Leonard vacate his office and insisted he would preside over tomorrow's meeting of the Executive Council at which he will seek Leonard's removal.

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"I shall conduct the hearing or no hearing will be held," said the governor. He termed as "unwarranted and impertinent" a statement by Leonard that Lieutenant Governor Joseph L. Hurley should preside over the hearing on the preside over the hearing on the question of his removal, and termed the suggestion "another reason for the removal of the police commissioner" sioner.'

When the Boston Licensing Board met today to consider re-vocation of the liquor and amuse-ment license of the Cosmos Club, a ment license of the Cosmos Club, a South End establishment at which Sweeney was slain, the club's license was found pushed beneath the door. With it was a copy of a resolution adopted by the directors of the club authorizing its president, Daniel F. O'Connell, to surrender the license. Revocation was taken under advisement. taken under advisement.

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Extensive Fish and Game Plan May Be Fostered by Curley I

Seeks \$100,000 Annually to Aid State Department in Work

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The plans which the Massachusetts Division of Fish and Game hopes to put into force this year and to continue annually with the \$100,000 yearly appropriation being sought by Governor Curley for the developing of hunting and fishing in this state are expected to play a big part in the sports in this vicinity and the Cape.

Much discussion, pro and con, has been heard upon the matter. The plan, calling for \$100,000 to be spent in the propagation of both fish and game and reclaiming of ponds and streams is an excellent one, but there are several features in it which may prove detrimental. The long term program, as drawn up by Raymond J. Kenney, director of the State Department of Fish and Game, has been forwarded to every club in the state for consideration, and was received here by John J. Gobell.

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One of the main items under the utilization of lands and waters is the ultimate purchase of not less than 200 miles of the best trout fishing streams in the state with provision for actual stream improvement. Also, it is planned to acquire several natural great ponds in each county and to remove from them all fish and to restock the water with trout.

It has been pointed out, however, that the danger of cleaning these streams and ponds is the tendency to overdo it. Clubs have continually leased grounds for fishing and then the owner, thinking that he was doing the fishermen a good deed, has cleaned away the underbrush and those brambles which attract the fish. This has been the case also in the work the CCC and in many instances good streams and ponds have been made impractical as fishing grounds. This "mismanagement" must be checked.

Perhaps the item of most interest is the lease and ultimate purchase of abandoned mill pond sites and the repairing of the dams to reestablish them as fishing waters, preferably for trout. There are many of these ponds in New England with the remains of old saw mills and rotting dams dotting the shores. These are ideal trout holes and with a little care would become the best of fishing grounds.

The department has high hopes of developing two waterfowl sanctuaries, with the Cape the site of one of them.

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The formulation of a cooperative plan with the landowners to the end that they may be induced to care for and protect the game on their lands throughout the year and to aid in its propagation and for the protection of such lands against misuse by the thoughtless few, is sought.

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About this Chester Gray, national representative of the Farm Bureau says: "The degree to which the sportsman can depend upon the farmer's cooperation will be the degree to which the sportsman makes agricultural economics a part of his program. Make game management a part of the farmer's crop program if you want 100 percent cooperation."

This point should prove a great help to wardens and clubs for during the Winter season the fish and game department depends considerably upon the local organizations for the distribution of grains.

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Considerable work is planned to develop the Sunderland and Palmer State Fish Hatcheries. The former is a trout breeding establish-

ment and the latter a black bass rearing station. Plans call for 100,-000 six-inch fish annually from the Palmer Hatchery.

It is hoped to secure another pond fish cultural unit for the production of pond fish to supplement the two units now available.

Trout Too Small The overstocking of trout hatcheries and the placing of too small fish in the streams may be combatted by the establishment of field rearing stations where a portion of the hatchery trout may be reared to a larger size. This would be a most decided help as the common complaint of anglers is that the fish are too small.

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Salmon, pike perch and muscallonge are to be developed with the liberation of more of these fish of a larger size.

The rearing of game birds will be extended. The four state game farms will be enlarged under present plans so that a large number of pheasants and quail may be carried through the Winter months and liberated prior to the breeding season.

In conjunction with this, it is planned to have several areas where the field rearing of game birds may be carried out under suitable supervision.

The development of a program for the propagation of cottontail rabbits has been started already. Several shipments have been released in this vicinity. The season closes Friday and it is hoped that the cottontails released have withstood the rigors of the weather before they became acclimated to their new surroundings.

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It has been a hope of the department for many years to foster the propagation of ruffed grouse in this state, but the obstacles confronting this part of the program are many. Gardiner Bump of New York State, a leading authority on ruffed grouse, in a recent talk at Boston said:

"We have definitely established that proper game management, such as the planting of favored foods, shelters, etc., in specified areas will enable us to put two grouse into such an area for every one there was before. But when we know so little about the periodic disease that devastates the ranks of the partridge, this may be a very poor policy; for how do we know that by inducing the grouse to concentrate we may be encouraging the spread of the disease and increasing its ravages?

"There are infinite problems ahead in the raising of grouse in captivity, and we may say with certainty that it will be many, many years before we can hope to produce hand-raised grouse in numbers. We must do much more in selective hatching and breeding. One of the greatest problems is the fertilization of eggs laid, which is a distinct problem because of the difficulty of handling the male birds in captivity."

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Experimental work is hoped for in an effort to hasten the growth of brown and rainbow trout. It now takes two years before a fish is ready for liberation.

The blight which has attacked eel grass, a main food supply for waterfowl, also comes under the research plans.

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Carcass Turned Over to Field Supervisor; Arrest Expected

NANTUCKET, Feb. 12 (AP)-Fuel tonight was fed to the flames of Nantucket's indignation over its brief, unwanted open season on deer by the slaying of a wild turkey, a species supposedly enjoying year-around protection.

The deer season, scheduled for a week, was ended abruptly at noon by Governor James M. Curley, in response to protests from residents of the island, after a day and a half of shooting. It was estimated that

of shooting. It was estimated that more than 100 deer had been killed. The carcass of the turkey was turned over to Lloyd Walker, field supervisor of the fish and game department, by a gunner who said he found it in the woods. Walker preserved silence beyond indicating he had a suspicion who killed the bird and expected to make an arrest.

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The island of Nantucket is the only section of New England in which wild turkeys may be found. Four years ago the Nantucket Sportsmen's Club imported a tom turkey and two hens. The birds found the island's mild climate to their liking and prospered, multiplying several times. Like the island deer, years of immunity to hunters' firearms have given the birds a sense of security and they are very tame.

from the three animals the herd sprung.

Town officials and residents who protested the open season on deer for considerable attention. The establishment of one additional salvage unit to further the work of trapping and seining fish in water supplies and private ponds for liberation in state ponds is listed in the plan.

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The big item in the field work is the desire for cooperative work with other state departments, such as the CCC, to the end that their activities will not affect the wild life, as for example, mosquito control work, plant pest control, dam building, drainage and reclamation.

Newbold Herrick, a fish and game authority, says: "It's mighty nice to get rid of mosquitoes at our Summer resorts, but every time you ditch and drain a mosquito swamp you are virtually killing thousands of ducks and other swamp birds. One of the best snipe grounds in New York has been destroyed by this method. You can't have birds unless there is a supply of the things they feed upon; nor ducks unless they have the swamp water which breeds bugs."

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Selectman George S. Mycock Speaks Favorably on Proposal of Governor Curley-Labor Unions Also Recorded for Construction.

[SPECIAL TO THE HERALD NEWS STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 13-Erection of a model village of 2000 homes on state land in Free-town, recommended by Governor James M. Curley as part of the Federal Housing program for Massachusetts, was strongly supported before the Legislative Committee ca Conservation today during a hearing on the proposal.

The site is located in Freetown and part of Fall River and is eight miles from Fall River, New Bed-

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Selectman George S. Mycock of Freetown, in favor, declared that 5000 acres are under option by the State and the three cities named were very much interested in the

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"It is proposed to set up approxi-mately 2,000 homes," he continued, with \$10,000,000 from the Federal government. Each home, with its acre or an acre and a half of land will represent an investment of \$5,000. With water, gas and electric light facilities and school, we would have a so-called model vil-

"It is planned to have the occupants of these homes men permanently employed. The rent would

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Curley Asks That Jones Be Ousted by Labor Board

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Jones, a former veteran member of the House who was defeated for reelection in the Curley landslide, received his directorship Dec. 28, in the closing hours of the Ely ad-

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"There is enough land to take care of this proposition and still have sufficient for a State forest."

He recorded Senator William S. Conroy of Fall River in favor of the bill as well as the selectmen of Freetown. The Fall River Central Labor Union and the Taunton Building Trades Council were recorded in favor. There was no opposition. The proposal as outlined by Governor Curley in his inaugural message would permit the use of State land for the building program.

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Replace Leonard

At the same time it was announced that a public hearing on the question of removing Leonard

will be held at 12 noon next Wednesday.

In his order, the Governor stated he wished to remove Leonard "for the good of the service." Curley has made it known that he wishes to replace Leonard with former Boston Fire Commissioner Eugene M. McSweeney.

The governor had planned to ask the council today to remove Leonard, but decided instead to hold the public hearing because Republican legislators were hastening passage of a bill to provide mayoral appointment of the police commis-

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(Special to the Herald News)

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Governors Plan to **Boost New England**

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STOCK RISES

Rumors of an important change in the management of the Boston Edison company, the largest operating electric utility in New England, have been current in financial circles for several days, and unquestionably were responsible for the sharp rise in Edison stock which occurred on the Boston stock exchange yesterday. Closing Monday night at 97%, Edison opened yesterday after the holiday at 98% and closed at 105.

In becoming the directing head of the two largest utility organizations in this part of the country, Mr. Comerford opens a new chapter in a career which has made him an outstanding figure in utility circles. Although only 41 years old, he has been for several years one of the recognized leaders in New England business and financial circles.

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Some 25 students from the Garland School of Homemaking, under Mrs. Louise Jerome Johnson, instructor of government, made a visit to the State House and looked in on the House and Senate in session.

The department of public health circulated messages to all dog owners in the commonwealth, calling their attention to the fact that there have been almost 300 cases of rabies in Massachusetts during the past year; that the disease is increasing and spreading from the metropolitan area to other sections; and that dogs should be given injections at once both as a protection and as a means of improving present conditions.

Frank A. Goodwin, registrar, yester-day said he was "absolutely opposed" to the proposed legislation for the complsory installation of speed governors on automobiles. The proposed bill, indorse by former Registrar Morgan T. Ryan, has not yet been acted upon by the Legislature.

The Governor's message asking the Legislature to validate his action in closing the open season for deer hunting in Nantucket, was read by the clerk of the House. A bill base don the Governor's message will be given a hearing by the committee on conservation next by the co Monday.

After receiving a favorable report from the committee on public safety on the petition to reinstate Capt. Charles T. Beaupre as captain of the state police, the bill was referred to the committee on ways and means for further action.

Although Representative John D. Comerford of Brookline offered opposition, the bill permitting dancing at weddings on Sundays, was passed to be engrossed by a standing vote of the House.

Amendments to Representative Mason Sears's bill providing for the removal of convicted murderers to state prison prior to being sentenced, were adopted by the House but several representatives asked time to study the revised measure before acting further on it yesterday.

Yesterday was the 35th birthday of Representative John E. Murphy of Peabody. Tomorrow Representative Zacheus H. Cande of Sheffield will observe his 59th birthday.

The legal affairs committee set aside the petition that local licensing authorities be authorized to establish protected areas near churches and schoolhouses in respect to licensing for sale of liquor.

The petition of Wycliffe C. Marshall, Boston rate attorney, for a review of the rate case which involved the N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Company and affiliated companies was denied yesterday by the state department of public utilities.

The public utilities commissioners also turned down another marshall petition which sought to have them refer to the supreme court alleged violations of laws by telephone companies.

A measure calling for the extention of school days for public elementary schools from 160 to 180 was killed in the House on a voice vote. Representatives Joseph D. Rolfe of Newton, E. Hayes Small of Truro and Ignatius B. Cleary of Auburn led the epposition.

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Frank Pedonti, the executive messenger, and Fred H. Kimball, super-intendent of buildings, yesterday discussed a plan to install additional "stop ropes" in the Governor's outer offices to stop isitors from walking in too far without permission.

"No smoking" is the latest order in the executive department. The Governor decided too much smoke was filling the air of the outer lobbies of his office and issued orders that all smoking there must stop. Those who forgot themselves yesterday, the first day of the edict.

Heads B. U. Group



(Photo by Harrison MacDonald)

J. MARSHALL MacGREGOR

Chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the annual dinner dance which members of the junior class in the Boston University school of law will sponsor tonight. In the Hotel Statler from 9 until 1 o'clock. from 9 until 1 o'clock.

were quickly reminded by the executive messengers and state troopers who were on duty handling the crowds to stop smoking or lease the office.

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Twins Born to Woman Twice in Two Years

FALMOUTH, Feb. 13-For the second time within little more than two years, twins have been born to Mrs. Eleanor Rogers Hathaway, 23, of Shore street. The second set came in St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford, last night, and today the mother and her two new sons were reported to be doing well.

approved the parole of George Belanger whose life sentence was commuted by Gov. Curley and the council, Jan. 29, to 16 to 20 years, thus making him eligible to parole. Belanger, who is now 41, served 13 years. He was given permission to leave state prison to go to North Adams where he has a job.

Bernard J. Rothwell, chairman of the Governor's committee on street and highway safety, declared yesterday that the committee does not make "and never had made any recommendation or suggestion" as to what action should be taken by the registrar in suspending licenses. He further said, "It is evident that the criticism of Registrar Goodwin was based upon erroneous memises" was based upon erroneous premises."

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Boston Track Will Be Built in April

License to Eastern Horse Racing Association Expected at Any Moment

With news hounds waiting with bated breaths outside the fourth floor offices of the Massachusetts Race Commission at the Massachusetts Race Commission at the Ford Building, eager to wire the news of the first track license in the history of Massachusetts, they heard today that contractors are getting ready to start construction on the Suffolk Downs track on the East Boston mudflats some time in the middle of April or even later in the month. The Eastern Horse Racing Association, which is expected to be the license holder in eastern Massachusetts, will then be confronted with a rush job because almost seventy days of racing are planned at the big two and one-half million dollar track.

Walter O'Hara, who rushed 70 contractors into Pawtucket to complete the Narragansett plant within record time, is also managing director of the proposed Suffolk Downs layout and is ready to rush the mudflat plant with the same speed. O'Hara is now in Florida where he has heard that Governor James M. Curley of Massachusetts has proposed to give the East Boston track a five-year permit rather than a one-year license.

Mark Lillenthal, the architect who drew the plans for Narragansett, is also working on the blue prints for Suffolk Downs and is expected back from Florida soir jinal plans for a grandstand of 25,000 seats have been changed within the last few days and the original number has been reduced to 20,000. The original plans exceeded the Narragansett grandstand seats by 9000 and it is partly this = fact that caused the alterations. the Ford Building, eager to wire the news of the first track license in the his-

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Saying that Boston hospitals and social agencies faced a real crisis and that every penny of the \$4,000,000 was needed because the charities had reached the limit of use of unrestricted funds, Charles M. Rogerson, secretary of the Citizens Committee, asked citizens to make sure they had given their full share to the campaign.

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"One-third of the organizations in the campaign," said Mr, Rogerson, "have no unrestricted funds upon which to fall back; they have nothing upon which to borrow and cannot make up a deficit. They must, therefore, curtail their work to keep within their income. Another 23 per cent are but little better off, having unrestricted funds ranging from \$1000 to \$20,000. In this group are hospitals, dispensaries, settlements, sheltered workshops, homes for the aged and relief organizations whose work is of prime importance to the community.

"It is not too strong to say that we have reached a crisis. Adequate support must be obtained. The only alternative is further serious limitation of work.

"One does not have to be a sentimentalist to view such further curtaiment as a community catastrophe. In terms of actual work it means that hospitals will have to refuse needy patients, with consequent suffering and tragedy; that relief organizations cannot provide food and clothing for those not helped or only partially helped by the city; that child-placing organizations will have to reduce still further the number of children in their care; that the dispensaries and the nursing organization can care for and visit fewer persons; that the efforts of the character building organizations like the Y's, boys' clubs and the settlements must let down in their efforts.

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Conference Studies **Educational Issues**

Speaking at an all-day education conference, held jointly by the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs and Boston University School of Education today, Clifford K. Brown, executive officer of the Boston Y.M.C.A. told of six needs in adult education and how they could best be met in Greater Boston. Mr. Brown listed the needs for better understanding and skill in family life or management of family life, better education in morals and religion, better understanding of government and our ter understanding of government and our present local and national economic system and its effect, encouragement in building a satisfactory life philosophy, understanding and rebuilding of social and educational institutions, and education for living on an artistic level.

The conference, held in the auditorium of the school of education, was in charge of Mrs. Edgar Tregoning, chairman of the State Federation, division of education, who presided at the morning session, and of Dean Arthur H. Wilde of the Boston University school, who prein the afternoon. Representing the Federation were Mrs. Thomas J. ter understanding of government and our

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Diver's Find Seen as Link to Gem Theft

Seeking Sweeney Murder Gun, Wallace Brings Up Burglar's Kit

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Police had received a tip that the .32 caliber revolver with which Sweeney was killed at the Cosmos Club Friday had been thrown from the Broadway bridge, but despite a wide search Wellage .41 but despite a wide search Wallace did not find

The burglars' outfit, in a Boston bag weighted with two cobblestones, con-tained a number of jewelers' price tags tained a number of jewelers' price tags of watches and necklaces, connected, it is believed, with the holdup at Homers, Inc., 158 Tremont street, when three gumen held clerks and customers at gunpoint and escaped with jewelry valued at \$20,000. The numbers on the tags had been almost obliterated from remaining so long in the water and the investigation was temporarily held up until they could was temporarily held up until they could be dried out and examined with a micro-

A torn newspaper in the bag bore the date of Dec. 4, 1934. Also in the bag Continued on Page Three

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Washington, Feb. 14 (A.P.)—An interesting back-stage conflict now is being waged between the proponents of the proposed National Guard camp on Cape

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The Fort Devens people don't care for the Cape Cod idea at all and indications are that there is a division of sentiment among the Cape Codders. The War Department will make no recommendation until it receives a report from the commander of the first corps area. Meanwhile, the Army chief of staff has proposed improvements at Fort Devens amounting to \$770,000.

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It's the Only Way to Do It

Governor Curley has reached a commendable decision to abandon starchamber proceedings against Police Commissioner Leonard. Whatever the contributing motives, one fact is certain beyond dissent. The American system of government has no place for secret proceedings against any man who desires that his case be heard in the open. Closed doors stifle justice. Joseph J. Leonard has asked for a public hearing of the charges against him, and most rightly is he allowed it.

The American principle of fair play being thus recognized, the people of Boston hope that at the Leonard hearing it will be honored also in practice. Instead of following the obstreperous course of the Donahue-Storey proceedings, the hearing should be conducted in the normal American way. Counsel for the governor should present his case in due form and order, stating the exact charges brought against Commissioner Leonard and offering evidence with direct relevance to them, not as bait in a general fishing expedition. Counsel for the defense should have his usual American rights, to present witnesses for Mr. Leonard and to question the witnesses offered against him. To refuse these rights is to give lip-service to the principle of fair play, and then destroy it in practice.

It is to be hoped also that the Council Chamber will not be heavily charged, as it was last January, with an atmosphere of intimidation. There is no need of loud cries for State police officers to drag citizens of Boston into the hearing room, who are patiently waiting just outside of the door-or within easy reach by telephone-and who would like nothing better than to be promptly called for their testimony and have it offered. The cry for police officers to hale them in may make headlines, but that is all. Indeed, legal review of the Donahue-Storey proceedings showed that most or all of the witnesses who had been summoned never were called to testify. Those who appeared were men who had come by request. In this manner, while Councillor Coakley emphasized at great length his unapproachability while sitting in a judicial capacity, it seems that the hearings remained as far away as possible from that quality at law, that they might not become subject to judicial review.

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Saying that Boston hospitals and social agencies faced a real crisis and that every penny of the \$4,000,000 was needed because the charities had reached the limit of use of unrestricted funds, Charles M. Rogerson, secretary of the Citizens Committee, asked citizens to make sure they had given their full share to the campaign.

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"It is not too strong to say that we have reached a crisis. Adequate support must be obtained. The only alternative is further serious limitation of work.

"One does not have to be a sentimentalist to view such further curtainmentalist of actual work it means that hospitals will have to refuse needy patients, with consequent suffering and tragedy; that relief organizations cannot provide food and clothing for those not helped or only partially helped by the city; that child-placing organizations will have to reduce still further the number of childred or and visit fewer persons; that the efforts of the character building organizations like the Y's, boys' clubs and the settlements must let down in their efforts.

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The Fort Devens people don't care for the Cape Cod idea at all and indications are that there is a division of sentiment among the Cape Codders. The War Department will make no recommendation until it receives a report from the commander of the first corps area. Meanwhile, the Army chief of staff has proposed improvements at Fort Devens amounting to \$770,000.

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Governor Curley has reached a commendable decision to abandon starchamber proceedings against Police Commissioner Leonard. Whatever the contributing motives, one fact is certain beyond dissent. The American system of government has no place for secret proceedings against any man who desires that his case be heard in the open. Closed doors stifle justice. Joseph J. Leonard has asked for a public hearing of the charges against him, and most rightly is he allowed it.

The American principle of fair play being thus recognized, the people of Boston hope that at the Leonard hearing it will be honored also in practice. Instead of following the obstreperous course of the Donahue-Storey proceedings, the hearing should be conducted in the normal American way. Counsel for the governor should present his case in due form and order, stating the exact charges brought against Commissioner Leonard and offering evidence with direct relevance to them, not as bait in a general fishing expedition. Counsel for the defense should have his usual American rights, to present witnesses for Mr. Leonard and to question the witnesses offered against him. To refuse these rights is to give lip-service to the principle of fair play, and then destroy it in practice.

It is to be hoped also that the Council Chamber will not be heavily charged, as it was last January, with an atmosphere of intimidation. There is no need of loud cries for State police officers to drag citizens of Boston into the hearing room, who are patiently waiting just outside of the door-or within easy reach by telephone-and who would like nothing better than to be promptly called for their testimony and have it offered. The cry for police officers to hale them in may make headlines, but that is all. Indeed, legal review of the Donahue-Storey proceedings showed that most or all of the witnesses who had been summoned never were called to testify. Those who appeared were men who had come by request. In this manner, while Councillor Coakley emphasized at great length his unapproachability while sitting in a judicial capacity, it seems that the hearings remained as far away as possible that quality at law, that they might

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We have it straight from Couniclor Selvitella that in his opinion, Ex-Rep. Al Sullivan was the hardest worker among the three local representatives last year. "Many times," said Selvitella, "I would see Al Sullivan coming from the State House around four or five o'clock in the afternoon, following some legislative session. He was without a doubt the most active of the local boys, with Barry coming second. Yet, look at the reward the people over here gave Sullivan.

Who is there around these parts

feat our popular congressman, John P. Higgins, for a second term? a public bathing area installed You name him and we'll give you odds on Higgins.

We fully believe that Ex-Mayor but, since Henry could not always Malcolm E. Nichols will succeed Mayor Mansfield at City Hall. when the latter's term expires. There is a man who has the backing of both parties. We hope that the "blue blood" Parkman will keep his finger out of the pie the next time. He has no right in the race, and couldn't win if he ran against the weakest of candidates.

> Dear Mr. Mayor: The people of East Boston await some word from you in regard to the promised municipal building. This paper will be glad to print your statement, when you care to release one.

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Students Still Pestering Elevated And Its Commuters

When any kid, child or even young person commits petty wrong doings they are usually let of after being given a good lecture about the results of the small crime, and again it's a great habit to forgive the kid by the old saying "he's only a boy anyway." Lots of things which these young folks are guilty of are small things and should be treated with a talking-to or a light punishment of some kind, but there are certain doings of this class of humans that should be severely dealt with. One of these, in the fair way of thinking, is the trouble and expense which the Boston Elevated is put to every so often at this time of the year. The ones we're referring to this time are the high school students who watch the Interscholastic hockey matches in Boston each week-end and in doing so ride in and out from the Arena and the Garden on the subway trains. Where and how this thing started is a question. Some even want to blame it on the college crowds, saying the high school kids followed their example. Others say no, that the kids are just at that high school age where anything wrong seems funny no matter how much damage or expense it

costs. It isn't within our province, nor is it any of our business to blame it on any certain one or ones, school or schools, but it certainly ought to be realized by the ones who do it that not only is it dead wrong, but it's bound in the end to spoil the whole setup of the Interscholastic Hockey League, and any other circuit that uses El trains in trans-

portation. The actual story of the incident goes something like this: After the hockey games in the Arena last Friday night students and enthusiasts of the Belmont, Arlington, Rindge and Cambridge Latin schools continued their celebration on the two trains which the Elevated had set aside for them. Thinking that this might solve the problem the officials of the El went and placed at the services of the followers these two special cars running from Dudley Street to Har-What the kids, and vard Square. wasn't anybody else on these to anyone connected with them. Seventeen windows were broken, every bulb was smashed and time and again the power was shut off by some person other than the motorman. Then some of the celebrators missed the "special" and had to take the ones following which ran on regular routes. In this car, the one following the "special," passengers had to take to the streets so dangerous was the breaking of windows and bulbs.

In the other high school hockey league, Bay State students and followers come on this subway system, but the officials say these people don't cause them the least

There's no way the law can signal out and place the blame on any one school, for students from Belmont, Arlington, Rindge and Cambridge Latin all use the trains: so at present the guilt lies on the shoulders of all four schools. If the disorder continues the El officials will no doubt try to have the games discontinued, but this will be punishing all, and all shouldn't be. Its up to the kids themselves to save their reputation and maybe serious accidents by having no hand in the disorder whatsoever. Belmont young people may not be at fault at all for the young class in this hamlet have a good reputation, but some of the folks have mentioned this town prime factors in the disorder. If anyone, kids or not, think they are getting a world of fun out of what they do

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whether the high school quintet will or will not be undefeated . . . What Gerry Johnson didn't do to Watertown . . . Will the town much money for the playground department for its proposed bleach ers, fence, additional skating area and the completion of the Colonial is over we'll give the final bowling front on the Concord Avenue averages on the Legionnaires . . field house? . . . Glad to hear our They say there'll be a complete Hampton Beacher, Mutt Higgins is change at the Belmont Spring C. C. all set again after spending two ... It's just like the Boston scribes before we'll be setting under the to help cooperate on numbering his warm rays of Old Man Sol . . . Sid pucksters. Belmont without num-Curtis is there as a squash player bers caused the boys plenty of . . . I just can't please the high trouble . . . I'd rather see Arlington school "officials." Somehow or win the ice league than Melrose . . . other Sanford Comery was spelled This town has the sign on Water-"Stanford" last week and am I sorry . . . Give to Ruth Manness the credit as high scorer for the them in hockey, so far . . . Don't girls basketball team . . . In bad-

players bang around is called a "bird" . . . Dave Donnelly has been doing a lot of feeding to Gerry Johnson . . . Its a feeling around that the high school basketball quintet hasn't the least signs of swell-headedness . . . Kay Keville must have had an all right time at the Dartmouth Winter Carnival and she must have pleased the photographers for her picture decorated the front page of Saturday's Boston Herald . . . The Belmont town team instead of having a banquet with the profits of the last Turkey Day grid game will bank them till next year . . . No matter what you think of our new goveror and his policies you have to give him the credit of being human. The brave and fearless hunters with their high powered rifles marched to battle the innocent, meek and lovable deer down Nantucket way early this week, but after the folks witness the toll the territo hunters took they complained to James and he ordered the doughty riflemen back to their homes. I'd like to see one of these courageous hunters in front of a charging deer and his rifle jam. He'd yell and yell plenty, yet the deer has the Tomorrow afternoon will tell guts to take its medicine without a new week . . . Johnny Fitzgerald whimper . . .

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Chief Assessor Michael J. Brophy is on the job at City Hall every day now and his department is working smoothly and efficiently. Mayor Mansfield certainly made a good appointment when he named the genial Mike Brophy to that job.

We have it straight from Couniclor Selvitella that in his opinion, Ex-Rep. Al Sullivan was the hardest worker among the three local representatives last year. "Many times," said Selvitella, "I would see Al Sullivan coming from the State House around four or five o'clock in the afternoon, following some legislative session. He was without a doubt the most active of the local boys, with Barry coming second. Yet, look at the reward the people over here gave Sullivan.

Who is there around these parts

who has a ghost of a chance to de-P. Higgins, for a second term? You name him and we'll give you

We fully believe that Ex-Mayor but, since Henry could not always Malcolm E. Nichols will succeed Mayor Mansfield at City Hall, when the latter's term expires. There is a man who has the backing of both parties. We hope that the "blue blood" Parkman will keep his finger out of the pie the next time. He has no right in the race, and couldn't win if he ran against the weakest of candidates.

> Dear Mr. Mayor: The people of East Boston await some word from you in regard to the promised municipal building. This paper will be glad to print your statement, when you care to release one.

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DID-YOU HEAR

Students Still Pestering Elevated And Its Commuters

When any kid, child or even young person commits petty wrong doings they are usually let a after being given a good lecture avthe results of the small crime, and again it's a great habit to forgive the kid by the old saying "he's only a boy anyway." Lots of things which these young folks are guilty of are small things and should be treated with a talking-to or a light punishment of some kind, but there are certain doings of this class of humans that should be severely dealt with. One of these, in the fair way of thinking, is the trouble and expense which the Boston Elevated is put to every so often at this time of the year. The ones we're referring to this time are the high school students who watch the Interscholastic hockey matches in Boston each week-end and in doing so ride in and out from the Arena and the Garden on the subway trains. Where and how this thing started is a question. Some even want to blame it on the college crowds, saying the high school kids followed their example. Others say no, that the kids are just at that high school age where anything wrong seems funny no matter how much damage or expense it

costs. It isn't within our province, nor is it any of our business to blame it on any certain one or ones, school or schools, but it certainly ought to be realized by the ones who do it that not only is it dead wrong, but it's bound in the end to spoil the whole setup of the Interscholastic Hockey League, and any other circuit that uses El trains in trans-

portation. The actual story of the incident goes something like this: After the hockey games in the Arena last Friday night students and enthusiasts of the Belmont, Arlington, Rindge and Cambridge Latin schools continued their celebration on the two trains which the Elevated had set aside for them. Thinking that this might solve the problem the officials of the El went and placed at the services of the followers these two special cars running from Dudley Street to Har-What the kids, vard Square. wasn't anybody else on these to anyone connected with them. Seventeen windows were broken, every bulb was smashed and time and again the power was shut off by some person other than the motorman. Then some of the celebrators missed the "special" and had to take the ones following which ran on regular routes. In this car, the one following the "special," passengers had to take to the streets so dangerous was the

league, Bay State students and followers come on this subway system, but the officials say these people don't cause them the least

breaking of windows and bulbs.

There's no way the law can signal out and place the blame on any one school, for students from Belmont, Arlington, Rindge and Cambridge Latin all use the trains: so at present the guilt lies on the shoulders of all four schools. If the disorder continues the El officials will no doubt try to have the games discontinued, but this will be punishing all, and all shouldn't be. Its up to the kids themselves to save their reputation and maybe serious accidents by having no hand in the disorder whatsoever.

Belmont young people may not be at fault at all for the young class in this hamlet have a good reputation, but some of the folks have mentioned this town prime factors in the disorder. If anyone, kids or not, think they are getting a world of fun out of what they do to the subway cars then they are just kidding themselves.

WE HEARD

Tomorrow afternoon will tell whether the high school quintet will or will not be undefeated . . . What Gerry Johnson didn't do to Watertown . . . Will the town meeting members think \$31,950 too much money for the playground department for its proposed bleach and the completion of the Colonial is over we'll give the final bowling school "officials." Somehow or win the ice league than Melrose . . . other Sanford Comery was spelled This town has the sign on Water-"Stanford" last week and am 1 sorry . . . Give to Ruth Manness ball and basketball and outplayed the credit as high scorer for the them in hockey, so far . . . Don't and secres three goals and assists girls basketball team . . . In bads minton the feathery object the last week, out here in the Middlesex Brown.

In the other high school hockey players bang around is called a "bird" . . . Dave Donnelly has been doing a lot of feeding to Gerry Johnson . . . Its a feeling around that the high school basketball quintet hasn't the least signs of swell-headedness . . . Kay Keville must have had an all right time at the Dartmouth Winter Carnival and she must have pleased the photographers for her picture decorated the front page of Saturday's Boston Herald . . . The Belmont town team instead of having a banquet with the profits of the last Turkey Day grid game will bank them till next year . . . No matter that you think of our new governor and his policies you have to give him the credit of being human. The brave and fearless hunters with their high powered rifles marched to battle the innocent, meek and lovable deer down Nantucket way early this week, but after the folks witness the toll the territory the hunters took they complained to James and he ordered the doughty riflemen back to their homes. I'd are are out of their class ... Son like to see one of these courageous hunters in front of a charging deer and his rifle jam. He'd yell and yell plenty, yet the deer has the nemon the B. A. A. baseball team guts to take its medicine without a whimper . . .

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DR. RICHARD H. HOLD PATRIOTIC

Life-Long Resident of First For Three Months. Prac Death Shocks District.

The community in general, and the medical fraternity in particular, were shocked on learning of the death last Saturday of Dr. Richard H. Houghton, one of the the First Section's most popular "boys." Dr. Houghton died at the Peter Bent Brigham hospital, where he had been under treatment for about three months. He was born in East Boston 58 years ago, the eldest son of the late Charles and Mary Houghton, early settlers of that part of East Bos-

He attended the Assumption parochial school and East Boston high being a graduate of both. Studying medicine at Tufts, he received his degree there about 30 years ago since which time he followd his chosen profession with marked suc cess until about a year ago, being especially proficient in pulmonary disorders and obstetrics.

For many years he was a valued ture. For these young men and active participant in all laudable enterprises of his parish and highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was a good citizen and a true friend with a truly understanding and sympathetic heart.

He was the last of his family and is survived by his wife, Mary Duane Houghton, daughter of the late Street Commissioner John H. Duane, who has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

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The conference is one of the more important features, locally, of National Defense Week, which is being observed between Lincoln's Birthday and Washington's. Legion Auxiliaries from the 270 units in the Massachusetts Departments will be present.

Mrs. Calvin D. Winne of Longview, Wash., national chairman of national defense, will be the principal speaker. Other speakers will include Gov. James M. Curley, Col. Paul G. Kirk, commissioner of public safety; State Commander Jeremiah J. Twomey, of the American Legion; Bartlett E. Cushing, chair-man of the national defense com-mitte of the American Legion, and Miss Mary Ward, Commissioner of Immigration.

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Bob Bushnell is one of the most talented and capable men in the Republican party. er Republicans, of making As an orator he probably has that after all the real talent of the Commonwealth still does remain within the Republican ranks.

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every gathering of the publicans this winter. Perhaps after all that defeat last November had a salutary effect. Now, instead of fighting with one another, the Republicans are present in united ranks to fight the common enemy. To speak of the Republican party in this state as a "minority party" is ridiculous and is not borne out by the facts. As Chairman Vernon Marr pointed out the other day, it's about a 40-30 proposition with the Republicans on the long end of those odds. Then there is the other 30 per cent which may be classed as independent, undecided, mugwump or what have you. But in actual, recorded and registered votes the Republicans are still in the majority. Only now and then will a holocaust come along as did that one last Fall. And maybe one is needed every so often just to prevent overconfidence.

Chairman Marr has already proven true many of the nice things said about him. He is on the job every day and is giving his earnest and constant attention to the ler Jere work. What a nice balance American wheel he is, calm and well ig, chairpoised and one of those fel- ense comlows who can, with "the greatest of ease" pour oil or troubled waters.

By the way, the tax payer were treated to a rare sigh these past few days when i was publicly announced tha conferences were being held in the office of the Governor to "save the Boston Braves". Now we yield to no man in our liking and admiration for Judge Fuchs. Fine fellow and regular as they make them. But it does seem a bit far fetched for the Governor and his official family to put the State in the position of making the paramount issue right now the question as to whether or not Boston shall continue to salvage its National League baseball team. But perhaps that is one of the weighty state problems we were told would be settled soon.

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(Special to The News) State House, Boston, Feb. 14islation which would affect s towns considerably by extending minimum number of school days year from 160 to 180 was sho

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SALES OF FUEL OIL

The legislative committee on public safety reported unanimously into the house the bill of Rep Co.rnelius Donovan of Lynn requiring a certificate of sale be issued in all sales of fuel oil in quantities of 10 gallons or more. Rep. Thomas Dorgan of Dorcester, in charge of the bill for the committee, said the legislation is aimed at "chiselers" on public welfare who collect money for fuel oil without needing or purchasing the same.

NANTUCKET DEER

The committee on conservation will hold a hearing Monday, Feb. 18, at 10.30 on the legislation embodied in the governor's message to the legislature yesterday in which he seeks to validate his action in closing the open season on deer hunting on the island of Nantucket. The open season had developed into a slaughter of the animals, so the governor ordered it closed. of the animals, dered it closed.

SELECTING JURORS

Bentley W. Warren, president of the Boston Bar association, told the fumittee on judiciary that the pres-



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Many of the early moves of Governor Curley have been interpreted by those who do not like him as having been inspired by personal favor, or personal animosity. That, of course, was inevitable, when the issue was the removal or appointment of public officials. But no such interpretation can be placed on the governor's de-termination to clean up the prison situation, and the selection of Mr. Lewis Parkhurst as his confidential inquiry agent is sufficient evidence of a determination to get at the root of the matter.

Mr. Parkhurst's official and unofficial work for better prisons has been perhaps more valuable than that of any one else in the public employ, and his advice should be of the greatest value to the governor. Possibly not quite so much can

be said of the unofficial crime commission which Mr. Curley has appointed, consisting of Prof. Frank Simpson, Atty-Gen. Paul A. Dever, Atty John P. Feeney and Asst. Attys. Gen. James J. Ronan and Henry P. Fielding; but it will do well enough, since probably the governor will make up his own mind with regard to the report of Mr. Parkhurst.

It is not altogether the so-called crime wave that has made the accommodations in the prisons of

Massachusetts and in almost all the other states inadequate. It is doubtful that new institutions have even kept pace with the growth of the population. It was optimistically predicted 15 years ago that the enactment of prohibition would have a marked effect in reducing crime, and for some years there was no thought of enlarging jails, or building new ones. Even some of those already in existence were abandoned—that situated in this city, for example. It turned out eventually that, if prohibition had any effect in reducing the demand for accommodations for habitual drunkards, bootleggers could easily take up the slack, and that crime in general was by no means de-

The net result is that, while the Norfolk colony has been added to the penal equipment of the state, it has not been adequate to take care of the overflow from Charlestown, fill the gap caused by the closing of the prison camp and hospital at Rutland, and meet as well the problem of housing a prison population that increases with the growth of the general population from decade to decade, even if it may not be added to each year. Worcester county has a vacant jail at Fitchburg which might be used; but jails are not the right sort of disciplinary institution for any but short-

term convicts.

creasing.

It is well known that Mr. Parkhurst considers the old Charlestown prison entirely out-of-date, an opinion in which the governor is supposed to concur. Of course it can to be scrapped at once. It will be needed until a new penitentiary can be built to replace it, and by that time economic conditions may be such that a substantial price can be realized for the site on which the 130-year-old edifice rests. Possibly it could be continued in use even after a better prison is constructed, for the harboring of a limited number of less tractable convicts who need stern discipline rather than mild reformatory measures. It is generally believed that, if it were not overcrowded, it would at any rate be about as secure a place of confinement as could reasonably be expected.

It might be desirable, at any rate, to put up with makeshifts for a while until the Noffolk colony has had more time to demonstrate its value. The state ought not to embark on an expensive construction program until it can have a pretty good idea what sort of institution is needed. It is as yet too carly to determine whether the defects of Norfolk as so far revealed are inherent in the system, or whether the fault was with former-Superintendent Gill, who was removed under the Ely administration. Perhaps what is needed is another Norfolk; but it may be decided that it coddles prisoners too much, or at any rate that it is adequate to the entertainment of all that are in the least likely to respond properly to kindly methods. Perhaps the new penitentiary should be on the Charlestown model, with of course all the physical improvements that are expected in up-to-date prisons. When we build a new prison we want to have it right, if it is to last a century and a half.

LIQUOR LICENSES

sion of the legislature was the report today by the legislative committee on legal affairs on the petition of Rep. Roland D. Sawyer of Ware that local licensing authorities be authorized to establish protection areas near churches and school houses in respect to licensing the sale of alcoholic beverages. Attempts made by a number of the local licensing boards to set up protected areas within which no licensed liquor establishments would be allowed were over-ruled from time to time by the State ABC commission.

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M. Curley's recently appointed committee, which was instructed to endeavor to effect reductions in gas and electric rates, was made before the committee on power and light by Atty. Wycliffe C. Marshall of Watertown, who has appeared before the state public utilities commission on many occasions as counsel for municipalities and rate payers on petitions for reductions.

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He assailed the governor's committee as just "babes in kilowatt land." He said rate reductions will come justly in many of our communities if there is proper co-operation of all interested parties. "Under the leadership of the legislature in this matter, the governor should work as one of many desirous of cheaper electricity," said Marshall.

CHILD LABOR

Opposition to the legislation now being considered by the legislative committee on constitutional law seeking ratification by Massachusetts of the child labor amendment to the federal constitution will begin today, when the committee resumes hearing of the bill. Yesterday the proponents advanced their arguments at the morning and afternoon sessions. The hearing adjourned late yesterday afternoon. yesterday afternoon.

L. Simpson, Atty-Gen. Paul A. Dever, Atty John P. Feeney and Asst. Attys. Gen. James J. Ronan and Henry P. Fielding; but it will do well enough, since probably the governor will make up his own mind with regard to the report of Mr. Parkhurst.

It is not altogether the so-called crime wave that has made the accommodations in the prisons of Massachusetts and in almost all the other states inadequate. doubtful that new institutions have even kept pace with the growth of the population. It was optimistically predicted 15 years ago that the enactment of prohibition would have a marked effect in reducing crime, and for some years there was no thought of enlarging jails, or building new ones. Even some of those already in existence were abandoned—that situated in this city, for example. It turned out eventually that, if prohibition had any effect in reducing the demand for accommodations for habitual drunkards, bootleggers could easily take up the slack, and that crime in general was by no means decreasing.

The net result is that, while the Norfolk colony has been added to the penal equipment of the state, it has not been adequate to take care of the overflow from Charlestown, fill the gap caused by the closing of the prison camp and hospital at Rutland, and meet as well the problem of housing a prison population that increases with the growth of the general population from decade to decade, even if it may not be added to each year. Worcester county has a vacant jail at Fitchburg which might be used; but jails are not the right sort of disciplinary institution for any but short-

term convicts. It is well known that Mr. Parkhurst considers the old Charlestown prison entirely out-of-date, an

opinion in which the governor is supposed to concur. Of course it can sot be scrapped at once. It will be needed until a new penitentiary can be built to replace it, and by that time economic conditions may be such that a substantial price can be realized for the site on which the 130-year-old edifice rests. Possibly it could be continued in use even after a better prison is constructed, for the harboring of a limited number of less tractable convicts who need stern discipline rather than mild reformatory measures. It is generally believed that, if it were not overcrowded, it would at any rate be about as secure a

place of confinement as could reasonably be expected. It might be desirable, at any rate,

to put up with makeshifts for a while until the Noffolk colony has had more time to demonstrate its value. The state ought not to embark on an expensive construction program until it can have a pretty good idea what sort of institution is needed. It is as yet too carly to determine whether the defects of Norfolk as so far revealed are inherent in the system, or whether the fault was with former-Superintendent Gill, who was removed under the Ely administration. Perhaps what is needed is another Norfolk; but it may be decided that it coddles prisoners too much, or at any rate that it is adequate to the entertainment of all that are in the least likely to respond properly to kindly methods. Perhaps the new penitentiary should be on the Charlestown model, with of course

all the physical improvements that are expected in up-to-date prisons. When we build a new prison we want to have it right, if it is to last

a century and a half.

ent system of selecting jurors in Massachusetts is not satisfactory because those operating it may be subject to political pressure and that they have not the facilities to select men to meet judicial requirements. He was in favor of a bill establishing a jury commission to supervise the selection of jurors in every city and town in the state. The chief justice of the superior court would make the appointments and fix the salaris under the provisions of the petition filed by the Boston Bar association.

Jury Selection (Special to The News)

180, Beaten on Voice Vote;

State House, Boston, Feb. 14-Legislation which would affect small towns considerably by extending the minimum number of school days per year from 160 to 180 was shouted down by the house of representatives

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Many house members from smaller communities, led by Rep. Joseph D. Rolfe of Newbury, strenuously opposed the passage of the bill, which was reported favorably by the committee on education. The principal opposition was that teachers, janitors and other school committee emploves would rightfully demand an ployes would rightfully demand an increase in salary. Spokesmen for the committee on education argued that the minimum number of school days in the commonwealth should be made uniform.

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NANTUCKET DEER

The committee on conservation will hold a hearing Monday, Feb. 18, at 10.30 on the legislation embodied in the governor's message to the legislature yesterday in which he seeks to validate his action in closing the open season on deer hunting on the island of Nantucket. The open season had developed into a slaughter of the animals, so the governor ordered it closed.

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Nantucket gets into the news; the first time since its discovery a game preserve. It appears that some years ago a distressed buck deer, found swimming in the sea, was rescued and turned loose on the island by humane fisherfolk. After he had roamed in bachelorhood for a year or two, thoughtful humanitarians procured a harem for him, in the form of two does who straightway obeyed the scriptural injunction to be fruitful and multiply. As a result there have been many deer in Nantucket; and curiously enough they seem not to have been regarded as a nuisance, although in time they doubtless would be. Anyhow the recently proclaimed open season of a week produced which the overburdened citizen appreciates at its level worst the The incomecost of government. The income-tax returns have to be made out. In this vicinity these include the federal and the state income-taxes. It would be difficult to say which of the two is the more onerous in its incidence; but at least there is an alternative in the case of the state income-tax, in that the citizen who ands it insupportable may pack up and move to New Hampshire, which as yet has no income-tax, or to some other adjacent state where the rate 's lower than the gorgeous 6 per cent rate charged by our commonwealth. That this hegira is in ful swing is alleged and is probable More care has to be taken now than formerly to make sure that the change of legal residence is actual rather than fictitious. One really has to live somewhere else, if one claims to, in order to be sure hi change will be recognized by the courts. As for the federal tax, you can't escape that, though you tak the wings of the morning and dwel in the uttermost parts of the sea.

There is a gadget in the 1935 fed cral blank which may mystify many. It is the possibility of crediting—against normal tax, but not sur taxes—10 per cent of the "earned noome—that is, income received fo services, as wages, salary, professional fees, or other compensation for something done. This deduction, which was once before allowed was discontinued in 1932. It is stated that this deduction may be taken on all incomes below \$3000 (such leing automatically assumed to be earned") but not on any incomes above \$14,000.

Just how far can taxation be pushed without starting a rebellion? from scolding. when a monarch overdid the mulcting of his loving subjects, they drove him from power and very often cut off his head. It is not so easy, now that responsibility is widely diffused among many hundred senators and representatives. Massachusetts alone has doubled the taxbills of many residents by making even the dividends of Massachusetts companies tax-exempt securities, even if it be felt that eliminating such (usually state, city and other government bonds) would impair the ability of governments to borrow. Just now there is less difficulty about that because nobody knows at present what else to put his money into I he wishes to feel moderately safe.

More, and more, and more of the individual's annual intake has to go for costs of government.

To be brutally candid, the average government-city, state, or federal-is doing precisely what it demands the public utility companies shall not do; to wit, is gouging the public. It is fashionable for mayors, governors, legislators and presidents to froth at the mouth over the alleged iniquity of the power and communication companies in charging what they do. But, in all honesty, is it not a thousand times more reprehensible for a government to overcharge for a grossly ineffi-cient and wasteful service, especially as the citizen has no practical edress? In the case of his bills for ight, or heat, or other service, he ras an appeal to the regulating authority. What appeal has he in the case of the tax gatherer? None at all. Pay-or go to jail! At least the public service companies give you a quid pro quo. You get what you pay for. Does the average man get what he pays for from either the city, the state, or the federal government? Congress and the state legislatures go blithely on saddling more and more burdens on the public's back, and the public has only the illusory remedy of electing other men to office. Taxpayers associations usually flounder around and achieve no tangible results. In short, we're all about as helplass as can be imagined, without even the ancient remedy of a revolution and the forced abdication of rapacious monarch.

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DEVENS MAY RETAIN CAMP

Plan for National Guard Grounds on Cape Cod Not Sure of Approval

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14, (P)—An interesting back-stage conflict now is being waged between the proponents of the proposed National Guard camp on Cape Cod and interests allied with Fort Devens

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Right now the wise birds are cheeping that the odds favor the Fort Devens people, but they point out at the same time that Governor James M. Curley of Massachusetts is a resourceful person. Curley has submitted to the administration a proposal whereby the state would expend \$60,000 for a site, and the federal government would spend \$1,700,000 to develop a National Guard camp upon it—down on Cape Cod.

The Fort Devens people don't care for the Cape Cod idea at all and indications are that there is a division of sentiment among the Cape Codders. The war department will make no recommendation until it receives a report on the matter from the commander of the first corps area.

Meanwhile, the army chief of staff has procosed improvements at Fort Devens amounting to \$770,000.

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Governor Curley has been in office for less than two months. He has certainly made things hum, but it will hardly be maintained that the excitement goes much beyond proving the already well known propensities of the Boston mayor. He has laid about him with a determined cudgel, and heads hostile to the governor have been hit, right and left. The state is getting precisely what it deserves. Its people in a momentary pique surrendered themselves to Curleyism. They elected a legislature and a council so nearly Democratic that it was a simple matter to dominate them. Incident has followed incident with bewildering rapidity—and one may be heartily glad of it. People learn more from actual experience than

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The observances of Lincoln day included a Republican Club dinner in New York graced by the presence of former-President Hoover. His speech was rather disappointing -but speech-making was never Mr. Hoover's forte. It was very brief, and the matter of it was not amiss; but there is still to seek that leadership which will bring the party together as an effective opposition to Franklin Dealanew Roosevelt. It seems to us from the casual remarks of people that there is a growing apprehension of danger arising from the crazy joy-ride of the administration, under the direction of a visionary crew of intellectuals more concerned for the spending of money than for the raising of it. But to make a useful opposition there is needed something more in the way of personality than was revealed either by Mr. Hoover, or Col. Theodore Roosevelt, or Governor Hoffman of New Jersey. In fine one needs a leader who has what the argot of the day usually describes as "It." One can go a long way with "It." Witness the career of Governor James Michael Curley of Massachusetts.

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The navy secretary said that such changes were "not true."

Lifer Gets Job and Leaves Prison Cell

BOSTON, Feb 13, (P).—George Belanger, 41-year old lifer at State prison, left for North Adams tonight, where he has obtained a job

Belanger's release was approved oday by the State Board of Parole. His sentence was commuted Jan. 29 by Governor James M. Curley.

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The lifer was sentenced on Nov.
29, 1922, for the fata, shooting of
Wallace L. Webber during a Springfield hold-up in September, 1920.
Albert J. Duhame, sentenced with
Belanger to life imprisonment, was
not released.

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HAPPENINGS

did not occur yesterday. Instead, Gov. Curley announced he would grant Leonard a public hearing next Wednesday, February 20.

was given the report that Republi- Another new plan in vogue for the can leaders were gathering support first time yesterday prohibited all

Attaches of the governor's office yesternay began the enforcement of an edict that smoking would not be This morning considerable credence allowed in the governor's chambers.

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leader of the state Senate, who would abolish the present laws and make it mandatory for the commissioner of insurance, Merton L. Brown, annually on or before September 15, after conducting due hearings and investigation, to fix and establish fair and reasonable classifications of risks and adequate, just, reasonable and non-discriminatory premium charges by insurance companies.

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that would have prohibited physicians, surgeons, dentists and others from handling certain so-called tort cases for attorneys-at-law.

Amid much joshing, members of the legislature discussed "340" yesterday. It seems that "340" is not a particular time, but the number of a House bill, filed upon the petition of the American Federation of Laborand authorizing the state to compete with the insurance business.

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One employee of an insurance company sent his Representative a letter which was signed by his wife and six children. The sixth child, aged 12 months, made his mark with a cross, according to the letter which he displayed in the lobby.

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ineffectiveness."

Because the dangerous criminals operate in gangs and carry on their activities in more than one state—most of them have a distinctly interstate character-the problem of dealing with them is much different from what it was a few years ago and has become, to a considerable extent, a federal problem. But it is obvious that before effective cooperation with federal officials can be given, the state police forces must have cooperation among themselves The legislature is, of course, concerned only with Massachusetts police. If it does its duty toward its constituents and acts with the protection of life and property in mind, it will take steps obring about as close a coordination as possible among the police agencies in the state.

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Suppose they do not. Suppose only a portion of what Governor Curley asks actually comes to Massachusetts. One thing Quincy may hope and work for is that the amount listed for completing the elimination of the railroad grade crossing at Water street, Quincy Adams, be not crossed off. Other cities have troublesome grade crossings which they are now hoping to eliminate through federal aid. No doubt the railroad companies would be glad to see such a hope realized. But no crossing south of Boston is perpetuating such dangerous conditions as this one at Quincy Adams. If federal money is to be spent anywhere for eliminating such danger-spots it should be spent here.

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Curley Victory Seen

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The generally definite attitude of Leonard, one gesture being to send a letter to the Governor's home by a police sergeant to demand the Governor withdraw from the re-

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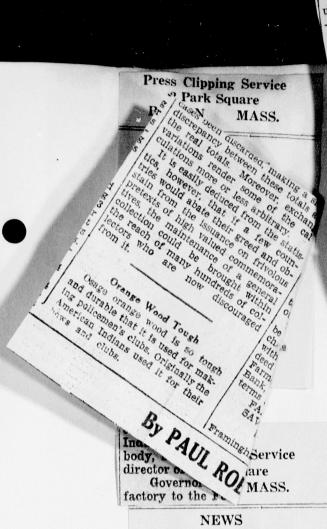
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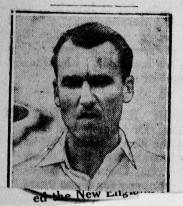
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janitor, sun porches.

HEYWOOD ST., 47—Upper 6 room
family, fireplace, tile bath, 5-8877

HOLLYWOOD ST., 19—1st floor, 5

rooms, all modern, newly renov
\$22, 4-8547, 3-8779.

HOOPER ST., 6—6 rooms, furnace
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ern except heat, completely renov
\$25, 5-0732.

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ACTIVITIES AT STATE HOUSE

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 14—Legislation which would affect small towns considerably by extending the minimum number of school days per year from 160 to 180 was shouted down by the House of Representatives on a voice vote.

Many House members from smaller communities led by Rep. Joseph D. Rolfe of Newbury strenuously opposed passage of the bill which was reported favorably by the committee on education. The principal opposition was that teachers, janitors and other school committee employes would rightfully demand an increase in salary. Spokesmen for the committee on education argued that the minimum number of school days in the Commonwealth should be made uniform.

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BOSTON, Feb. 14 (P)—Textiles and shoes kept Governor Curley busy to-

The governors of five New England states were invited to join the Curley "brain trust" and representatives of the textile and shoe manufacturing industries in a discussion of ways and means of improving conditions in the two industries.

two industries.

It was not known how many of the governors would attend. Governor Bridges of New Hampshire wired his regrets but sent word that he would be represented by Edmund F. Jewell, publisher of the Manchester Union Leader, and A. Erland Goyette of Peterboro, president of the New Hampshire Manufacturers' Association.

Governor Curley said the conference was arranged at the request of textile operators in an effort to prevent continued migration of the textile industry from New England. He

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PAROLED LIFER OFF FOR NORTH ADAMS

BOSTON, Feb. 13 (AP)-George Belanger, 41-year-old lifer at State prison, was paroled late today and left for North Adams tonight where he has obtained a job.

Belangor's release was approved by the state board of parole. His sentence was commuted Jan. 29 by Gov. James M. Curley.

The lifer was sentenced on Nov. 29, 1922, for the fatal shooting of Wallace L. Webber during a Springfield, holdup in September, 1920. Albert J. Duhaine, sentenced with Belangas Life. with Belanger to life imprisonment, was not released.

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Senator Joseph A. Langone, Jr., chairman of the public welfare com-mittee, has the prison officials in charge of prison labor jumping about. The prison officers were summoned

hurriedly to the State House yester-day and upon arrival were told a hearing on prison labor had been postponed.

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They rushed back to Charlestown,
Norfolk, Concord and Sherborn, arriving at the several institutions in
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come up today.

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PROF. FRANCIS X. POWERS

Prof. Francis X. Powers of Holy Cross college, a member of Governor Curley's so-called "brain trust," has headed the department of economics at Holy Cross the past seven years. He also has taught economics, banking and banking procedure, and credit procedure to

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Mr. Powers is a native of Wor-cester and a graduate of South High school and Holy Cross col-lege, class of 1920. He continued his studies at Columbia university where he majored in economics and was awarded the degree of master of arts. He later spent two at 20 Lakewood street.

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During the World War, he served with the United States Navy as cost accountant for the Fire and Second Naval districts. Golf and Second Naval districts. Golf occupies much of his spare time, with politics coming second as a hobby. He is a director of the Worcester branch, National Association of Cost Accountants, and a member of the American Economic association and the National Association of Accountants ciation of Accountants.

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case was given a hearing at the state prison on petition for a pardon. And on January 2, Representative Horace T. Cahill of Braintree acted as Belanger's counsel and appeared before the governor. Sentence was eventually commuted to from 15 to 20 years and then the fight for Belanger's parole continued. His sentence expires on November 28, 1942.

TWO-MONTH TERM GIVEN SENATOR ON **FORGERY CHARGES**

Madden Still at Liberty Under Bail-Hearing on Appeal Delayed Because of His Sickness

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Boston, Feb. 13—(AP)—State Senator William F. Madden of Boston was sentenced in federal court today to two months in jail, but it will be some time before Madden goes to jail, Sentence was pronounced by Judge John A. Peters as a result of Madden's recent conviction for forging Civil Works administration work slips, allegedly for distribution among his constituents.

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Madden, who has been ill at home, was not in court nor will he have to appear until he recovers and then the question of continuance of the \$2000 ty since his arrest will be discussed dden has appealed and, should his be continued, he would not have start serving his sentence until

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Senate Approves South Hadley Bill

Passes Measure Authorizing Nonpartizan Elections in Town. Special to The Springfield Union.

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Considerable interest surrounds this petition with regard to whether it will meet with Goy. Curley's approval. In his inaugural message he expressed himself as opposed to nonpartizan elections and as an advocate of the party system. This is the first legislative petition on that subject to go through the Legislature this year.

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HEARING CALLED BY GOVERNOR ON LEONARD ISSUE

Curley Balked by Republicans in Announced Intention to Remove Police Commissioner.

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The Governor had hoped to fire Leonard today and appoint in his place his former fire commissioner. Eugene McSweeney, but when the council convened it was learned that the Republican opposition had solidified and there were enough votes to prevent the Leonard ouster without a hearing on the case.

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Legal Matters.

Special to The Springfield Union.

BOSTON, Feb. 13-Atty. Gen. Paul A. Dever this afternoon announced the establishment, following a conference with Gov. Curley, of a new system to handle legal matters pertaining to the liquidation of closed banks.

He announced that Frank L. Simpson would be appointed special assistant attorney general to handle legal matters pertaining to bank liquidation. Bank Commissioner Henry H. Pierce under the new system, with the approval of the Governor, will appoint a group of lawyers in his department to be known as deputies to the special assistant attorney general. These appointments will be announced tomorrow.

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MANY IMPORTANT MATTERS LISTED FOR DEBATE TODAY

Include Sales Tax, County Commission Changes, and Relaxation of Sunday Observance Laws

From Our Special Reporter

Boston, Feb. 13-Several important matters are scheduled for public hearing by legislative committees tomorrow, among them the proposals for sales tax, which the taxation committee will hear at 10 a. m.

The hearing list shows that matters are scheduled before 19 committees. County commissioners were mittees. County commissioners were arriving in the city tonight to attend hearings before the joint counties committee on a number of petitions to change election laws pertaining to their offices, one to provide for election every two years. There are eight measures pending on this subject, all to be heard tomorrow.

Later the counties committee will be guests of the County Commissioners' association at a luncheon at the Parker house, after which county budgets will show larger appropriations sought this year than last. On the counties committee are Representatives M. T. O'Brien of Easthampton and Frank W. Smith of Palmer.

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Among the arrivals tonight were Chairman Clarence E. Hodgkins of the Hampshire commission and Chairman Robert S. Tillotson of the Berkshire commission. Also present were Sheriff James B. McIntyre and Register of Deeds Walter B. Dickie of Berkshire county.

The legal affairs committee will give a hearing on 13 measures, all designed to break down further the Sunday observance laws. They include permits for various sporting events, stage dancing in theaters, opening of certain places of business, operation of motor and aircraft, setting of traps and shooting of game and birds and even sale of denatured alcohol on the Sabbath. Sabbath

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The banking committee will hear more about proposals for investigation of closed banks. The education committee has a number of matters allocated, including a petition of Gerald D. Jones, legislator, of Amherst, that the trustees of Massachusetts State college be authorized to provide for a nutrition laboratory in connection with work of the Massachusetts agricultural experiment station.

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Boston, Feb. 13—(AP)—State Senator William F. Madden of Boston was sentenced in federal court today to two months in jail, but it will be some time before Madden goes to jail, if he goes at all.

Sentence was pronounced by Judge John A. Peters as a result of Madden's recent conviction for forging Civil Works administration work slips, allegedly for distribution among his constituents.

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The new idea became known when the trooper approached several meek and lowly newspapermen, awaiting and lowly newspapermen, awaiting news developments, and told them to stop contaminating the atmosphere. One showed a spark of rebellion for the moment, but quickly joined the others in stamping on their "butta" when he saw the trooper meant business. Thus, a custom of free men of many decades passed out.

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By WILLIAM H. MURPHY
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Recently Gov. James M. Curley called in the 60 administrative heads and told them in no uncertain language that "smug complacency" should be replaced by efficiency in all departments. He wants things done and done right. For years there has been a feeling of self-satisfaction on the Lart of many of the department heads, most of whom might be re-

moved at the will of the Governor. Many of the executives have delighted in the past in taking those seeking information from them, "around in circles." Gov. Curley has ordered the circles replaced by straight lines.

What has been the net result of the Governor's pep talk? Everyone appears to be getting to work on scheduled time and staying until the office closes at 5 p. m. Some executives are staying a little later. Everyone appears to be busy, men and women can be seen dashing from one office to another with a bundle of correspondence in their arms.

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The success which has marked the Curley regime has caused much discomfort among the administrative department heads. They know that the Governor can remove them for cause and it is not hard at the present writing to find cause. Nearly 100 percent of the department, who were placed there at the 11th hour by the outgoing Ely administration.

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Real Obstacle

The first real obstacle that Gov. Curley has experienced in his "house cleaning" campaign, is in his request to the Department of Labor and Industries, for the removal of former Rep. John A. Jones of Peabody. Jones is a Democrat and was one of the most popular men in the House for many years. He was defeated for reelection in the Curley landslide, having been a staunch supporter of Gov. Ely and Gen. Charles H. Cole.

Democrats in the House are a bit perturbed concerning Jones' removal. They are going to the front for Jones, because of his loyalty to the Democratic party in the past and the large following he still has along the North Shore. The Democrats are awaiting Curley's final decision in the matter, while the administrative heads are watching the executive axe dangle above their heads.

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APPEAL MADE TO GOV. CURLEY

Democrats to Intercede in Behalf of John A. Jones.

BOSTON, Feb. 14-An appeal to Governor Curley to retain former Representative John A. Jones of Peabody in his position of director of the state division of employment will be made today at the executive office by a number of well-known Democratic party leaders.

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Director Jones, who was appointed to the post during the final week of Governor Ely's administration, was not acceptable to the Washington administration, the Governor stated, explaining that he feared that the Feceral Department of Labor would step in and fill the position with a person of its own selection. person of its own selection.

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Amendments to Representative Mason Sears' bill providing for the removal of convicted murderers to state prison prior to being sentenced, were adopted by the House but several representatives asked time to study the revised measure before acting further on it yester-

The department of public health circulated messages to all dog owners in the commonwealth, calling their attention to the fact that there have been almost 300 cases of rabies in Massachusetts during the past year; that the disease is increasing and spreading from the metropolitan area to other sections; and that dogs should be given injections at once both as a protection and as a means of improving present condi-

A measure calling for the extention of school days for public elementary schools from 160 to 180 was killed in the House on a voice vote. Representatives Joseph D. Rolfe of Newton, E. Hayes Small of Truro and Ignatius B. Cleary of Auburn led the opposition.

After receiving a favorable report from the committee on public safety on the petition to reinstate Capt. Charles T. Beaupre as captain of the state police, the bill was refet sed to the committee on ways and means for further action.

"No smoking" is the latest order in the executive department. The governor decided too much smoke was filling the air of the outer lobbies of his office and issued orders that all smoking there must stop.

Those who forgot themselves yester day, the first day of the edict, were quickly reminded by the executive messengers and state troopers who were on duty handling the crowds to stop smoking or leave the office.

The state board of parole yesterday approved the parole of George Belanger, whose life sentence was commuted by Gov. Curley and the council, Jan. 29, to 16 to 20 years, thus making him eligible to parole. Belanger, who is now 41, served 13 years. He was given permission to leave state prison to go to North Adams where he has a job.

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CURLEY HITS SNAG IN LEONARD MOVE, SO FIXES HEARING

Says His Decision Forced by G. O. P. Leaders - But Stiff Fight in Council Now Anticipated

From Our Special Reporter

Boston, Feb. 13-Gov Curley seemingly ran against unexpected opposition in the executive council this afternoon for, instead of removing Josernoon for, instead of removing Joseph J. Leonard as police commissioner of Boston, and naming Eugene M. McSweeney to the post, and asking for council approval, he merely issued an order removing Leonard and set for public council hearing next Wednesday at noon, the order of removal, which read:—

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Position Pays

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Mrs Jones is in a hospital with a new baby, which news had considerable weight with Gov Curley when he was informed of the fact. A compromise may be effected, whereby the removal, not yet ordered by the labor department officials, will go through and Jones given another berth, but all efforts this afternoon were to save him for the post, for which, it is mainhim for the post, for which, it is maintained, he is particularly well qual-

To Name P. J. Sullivan

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Lawrence D. Brady, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who is conducting the survey and who has made a considerable study of the situation, indicated yesterday that the concern being expressed over racing may be entirely unnecessary since the two associations which would instal tracks in Riverdale St. and Memorial Ave. appear to be "lukewarm" about coming into this section anyway.

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BOSTON, Feb. 14—(AP) Robert J. Watt, secretary of the State Federation of Labor, speaking in support of bills which would establish a State fund for workmen's compensation, today said that in 10 years insurance companies writing this business had built up a balance of \$77,000,000.

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"Even during the years of the depression," Watt said, "there have been trrific increases in salaries of insurance officials."

John H. Gatelee of Springfield, president of the State Federation, who said he represented 1000 affiliated local organizations with 100,000 members, said the present law imposed hardship alike upon worker and employer.

ployer.

Secretary Richard Grant, appearing for Gov. James M. Curley, asked the Legislative Committee on Labor and Industry to withhold its final report until an impartial fact-finding commission could report.

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down on the water otherwise."

WEST-SIDE BILL ON PHYSICIAN IS HURRIED ALONG

Boston, Feb. 14-The House yesterday afternoon suspended rules, at the behest of Representatives Donald A. MacDonald of West Springfield and Elmer L. McCulloch of Adams, the House chairman of the towns committee, and passed to engrossment the to permit the West Springfield health board to appoint a town physician. The measure was advanced to engrossment in the Senate earlier in the afternoon. The House was told the measure, containing a referendum, was to be enacted and signed in time to go before the West Springfield voters at the town meeting Monday night. It will be put through the enactment stages in both branches on Friday and immediately placed before Gov Curley, who is expected to sign it.

Under suspension of rules, moved by Representatives Fred B. Dole of Shelburne and William E. Kirkpatrick of Holyoke, the House passed to be engrossed the bill placing the Deerfield police chief under civil service. This bill also contains a referendum and must be rushed through to go before town meeting on Friday night.

Gov Curleys message asking legislative validation of his order class heaith board to appoint a town phy-

Gov Curley's message asking legislative validation of his order closing the open season on deer on Nantucket Island at noon today, instead of Saturday at sundown, was read in and referred to conservation committee which will give public hearing on it Monday at 10 a.m.

Opposition was voiced to the bill

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taken to Boston.

W. A. TORPHY NAMED

From Our Special Reporter
Boston, Feb. 13—Gov Curley today submitted to the executive council the appointment of William A. Torphy of Fall River, law partner of Lieut-Gov Joseph L. Hurley, as special justice of the 2d district court of Bristol, to succeed the late Edward T. Murphy; and Herman C. McStay of Swampscott as trustee of the Danvers State hospital, vice William W. Laws of Beverly. Both appointments went over a week for action.

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NO MORE SMOKING! IN CURLEY'S SUITE

Someone Blew Smoke From "Rope" in His Face

ORDER FOLLOWS

State Trooper in Uniform Enforces Edict and Scribes and Legislators Must Obey.

Boston, Feb. 14.-Someone blew the smoke of a vile "rope" in Gov. James M. Curley's face as he entered his office yesterday and waded through the crowds, and consequent-ly, the governor issued an edict, "No smoking in any of the offices of the governor's suite," and had a state trooper, in uniform, on duty to insist on obedience to his edict.

The new idea became known when the trooper approached several meek and lowly newspapermen, awaiting news developments, and told them to stop contaminating the atmosphere. One showed a spark of rebellion for the moment, but quickly joined the others in stamping on their "butts" when he saw the trooper meant business. Thus, a custom of free men of many decades passed out.

The governor is a thorough convert to a life of abstemiousness, in so far as smoking is concerned, and apparently believes it would be better for others to adopt his code. He first dropped the "weed" upon advice of his physicians and has since gone sour on tobacco, as he seems to have regarding the mobs in his outer office, as signs posted at the entrance prove. When this "someone" blew smoke so he had to inhale it yesterday, he was seized with a fit of violent coughing.

So the state police and executive messengers were given orders to "cut it out." Additional reasons for the edict are that the nice blue carpets in the rooms are becoming dotted with black and brown spots where burning "butts" have been

ment of the late Thomas Riley Marshall, vice-president under Woodrow Press Clipping Service 2 Park Square BOSTON MASS.

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vent continued migration of the textile industry from New England. He also arranged a discussion of means of maintaining New England's pre-

Wilson, that "What this country needs is a good five-cent cigar," one well-known Democratic legislator remarked yesterday, after having to "duff his butt," that "What this State House needs is more spittoons." The "butt" he had to "duff" was a cigar the governor had presented him the day previous, and there was still an inch of it left.

Just how long this edict can be kept in effect remains to be seen. If Serator "Josie" A. Langone, Jr., of thrown. The air is putrid, also, the governor says.

Paraphrasing the famous state
Paul A. Dever, or Atty. John P. Feeney with his pound of cigar ashes on his waistcoat, or even former State Auditor Alenzo B. Cook. happens into the office, and adheres

the order, then Curley has won nother fight for cleaner govern-· lent.

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O'BRIEN NOT **OUSTED BY CURLEY**

Lee Man, Ill With Foot Infection, Issues Statement

Governor Curley did not make good his intimated threat of nominating a successor to Attorney James O'Brien of Lee as chairman of the State Milk Contral Board at a meeting of the Executive Council yesterday afternoon. On the other hand, Attorney O'Brien, whose illness had been called to the attention of the appointment-hungry executive by milk producers, issued a statement from the Deaconness Hospital, Boston, saying that a serious foot infection had not hampered his performance of duties.

The statement issued with oth-

er State Board news releases, said: "For the benefit of the people in the dairy industry who have expressed grave concern over my physical condition, I wish to say that I am rapidly recovering from a troublesome foot infection which has restricted my traveling about, but has not materially hampered my duties to the Commonwealth as Chairman of the State Milk Con-

Judge O'Brien explained that although he has for some weeks been confined to the hospital at Boston, where he has received treatment for the foot infection, he has each day remained in touch with the problems of the Milk Control Board through daily visits by members of the staff of the Control Board.

Administrator Joseph C. Cort of the board took the occasion of valuable service,"

Cort said. "Through his ability to Judge O'Brien's remarks to say em- understand the problems of the in-Judge O'Brien's remarks to say emphatically that the policies of the board have, during the past weeks as previously, been formulated only after Judge O'Brien had given them his careful consideration. "Judge O'Brien, during the past few weeks, to the Board most been replaced to the Board most been possible advances." has rendered to the Board most vances in policy formation which Administrator will show themselves in the future.

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State House Briefs By DONAL F. MacPHEE

Deerfield Police Bill.

BOSTON, Feb. 13—The bill to place the chief of police of Deerfield under civil service was adopted by the House under suspension of the rules and immediately sent to the Senate on mo-tions of Rep. Kirkpatrick of Holyoke and Rep. Dole of Shelburne. Speedy action is necessary because the towr votes Friday and passage of the bil is necessary to get the question on the ballot.

Dancing Approved.

The House voted 36 to 31 to approve dancing at Sunday weddings. The only opposition came from a Brookline legislator who felt that the legislation went too far in breaking down the proper observance of the Lord's Day

School Bill Rejected.

Persuaded by arguments that it would add to the cost of education and that it would disrupt the present school system in the majority of Massachusetts towns, the House rejected the bill to extend the school days for public elementary schools from 160 to 180 days 180 days.

West Side Bill Passes.

Under suspension of the rules moved by Rep. MacDonald of West Spring-field and Rep. McCulloch of Adams the House passed the bill authorizing West Springfield's Board of Health to West Springheld's Board of Health to appoint a town physician. The bill also passed the Senate and will come up for enactment Friday. Prompt action was required because the town meeting, at which it is desired to vote on the question, is scheduled for Monday avening. day evening.

Hearing on M. S. C. Bill.

Hearing was given before the Committee on Agriculture today on the bill to authorize the expenditure of \$12,000 for improved nursery facilities under direction of the trustees of the Massachusetts State College at the Waltham field station. There was no opposition of any moment.

Raps Metropolitan Board.

Senator Arthur W. Hollis of Newton scored the members of the Metropoli-tan District Commission for failing to appear at committee hearings on matappear at committee hearings on matters related to that division and for cluttering up the dockets of the Legislature and holding up legislative work by introducing needless legislation. The Senator made his cutting remarks at the hearing session of the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs. Davis B. Keniston also appeared before the committee on matters relating to his board. He was succeeded as chairman by Eugene C. Hultman, who was appointed to the job by Joseph B. Ely in the last days of his administration.

Employers, Labor Agree.

Employers, Labor Agree.

Manufacturers and organized labor got together for one of their few exhibitions of harmony today to join in opposing the continuance of the present statute which empels cities and towns and heads of state institutions to purchase prison-made goods. The object of the proposal is to have the purchase of prison products made permissive. Commissioner Arthur T. Lyman of the Department of Correction urged the retention of the statute on the ground that to keep prisoners occupied is the best of corrective measures and a preventive against riots. He pointed out that he was endeavoring to keep prison industries deavoring to keep prison industries noncompetitive and to interfere a's lit-tle as possible with private industry.

Fuel Oil Bill Favored.

A unanimous report was made today by the Committee on Public Safety in favor of the bill to require a certificate of sale to be issued in all sales of 10 gallons or more of fuel oil. The purpose of the bill is to curb those on the public welfare who collect money the public welfare who collect money for fuel oil without needing or pur-chasing the same.

Jury Change Urged.

President Bentley W. Warren of the Boston Bar Association asked the leg-Boston Bar Association asked the legislative Committee on the Judiciary to favor legislation creating a jury commission to supervise the selection of jurors in every city and town of the State. His argument for the proposal was the present system of selecting jurors is unsatisfactory because those operating it may be subject to political pressure and further that they have not the facilities to select men to meet judicial requirements.

Model Village Favored.

Erection of a model village of 2000 homes on state land, as recommended by Gov. Curley, as part of the Federal housing plan for Massachusetts was strongly supported before the legislative Committee on Conservation. The site proposed for the experiment is in Freetown, about eight miles from Fall River. There is no opposition to the Press Clipping Service 2 Park Square BOSTON

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t smile brighten the worn leatures as she draws near the place of bright lights and music that to her spells nome sweet home.

MOLLY STARK.
Springfield, February 8.

APPLAUSE FOR THE GOVERNOR'S REQUEST FOR PWA APPROPRIATION

To the Editor of The Daily News:—
"The occasion and the man have met." The man is our own, Gov James M. Curley, who in Saturday's press has pronounced first on his declaration for adequate part in public works relief ways and means: "Our federal government issue currency on its assets; pay off bonds and pay direct money of the realm." Lincoln's way, in that crisis!

This pregnant utterance is the very

money of the realm." Lincoln's way, in that crisis!

This pregnant utterance is the very key of our "recovery" solution. The Roosevelt administration at Washington may well take heed. Because if it doesn't "the stewardship will be taken from it" by the people, and given unto another bringing forth the fruits"—as we by the Economic Liberty party fusion with heroic Father Coughlin, social justice crusaders of the North, will unite our forces for such liberal democracy as Gov Curley's declaration of "the thing which belongs unto our salvation" in this great republic:—

Yea,—Our own nation's bank issu-

great republic:—
Yea,—Our own nation's bank issuing, our own nation's treasury note currency on our nation's assets, including gold seized by just such notes now circulating; whatever supreme court decision as to its valuing under Congress power "to coin money and regulate the value thereof and of forciga coin"; and not domestic nor "international bankers" usurp this power! The grand implement of such usurpation, more entrenched than ever, is the Federal Reserve bank system,—"money-changers in the temple" more sinister than ever, by "grace" of a President standing on the capitol steps at inaugural and announcing in strident tones their departure.
"It is an awful thing to fall into

"grace" of a President standing on the capitol steps at inaugural and announcing in strident tones their departure.

"It is an awful thing to fall into the hands of the living God," in such apostasy after such a declaration.

"Vox Populi vox Deo."

Here is a voice from the people—"The American Veteran," Tacoma, Wash., of "The League of War Veteran Guardsmen," just reaching these Atlantic division headquarters from the Pacific, in our continent-spanning "Economic Liberty" framing, a unit with the "Social Justice" Crusaders as are we: "The Federal Reserve" system should be investigated (and supplanted by our own nation's bank of issue in accordance with our Constitution). Then there will be no more depression, there will be no more depression, there will be no more famines and no more wars throughout the entire world, now of international bankers' sinister manipulation. All wars now and all of our peoples' economic troubles are a direct result of the maintenance of the Federal Reserve system. (What a boast it was at the time that we couldn't have financed the World war—and a dam big part for ourselves and allies we did—if it weren't for the Federal Reserve system! and for the damnable aftermaths of finance to boot). You people of the United States must organize in putting a stop to this Federal Reserve system and before it engulfs the entire world in blood, such is your duty to the country and the flag you represent."

eral Reserve system and before it engulfs the entire world in blood, such is your duty to the country and the flag you represent."

Yea, Comrade over there west at the Pacific, for this we are enlisted; and thank God for the voice of our governor of Massachusetts at this juncture for such a step of our own nation's asset currency in such a juncture for such a step of our own nation's asset currency in such a rescue. Only this past week we were afflicted over the radio by a pair of voices of Massachusetts minions of just such "Federal Reserve banking system" entanglements denouncing him among other counts, with his action of mayor of Boston in rescuing the city's deposit funds from what was coming! Now will some one page "First National Bank of Boston" and learn who milked the "Atlantic National" of some \$60,000,000 after that?

why, the audacity of our whole superlords' high finance don't "smell to heaven." It stinks down to the other place! We'll tell 'em this soon direct, at Washington, D. C. Furthermore, by Sabbath afternoon radio we've brave Father Coughlin's clarifying message from the North, sweeping Washington-wards to culminate its disinfecting mission this coming week. If in the warning words of our "American Veteran" from the Pacific coast again, Franklin D. of our "American Veteran" from Pacific coast again, Franklin

doosevelt did say just before his inauguration, to an intimate: "Either I
will make the best President these
United States ever had, or this republic will cease to exist,"—we the
people of the United States will pick
up that gauntlet and answer that
challenge. At present showing "It's
not due to be either."

ECONOMIC LIBERTY CRUSADERS
Springfield, February 12.

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Removal of Ely Appointee Asked

Governor Would Oust John A. Jones from Labor and Industries Department.

Industries Department.

BOSTON, Feb. 13—Gov. James M. Curley this afternoon requested the commissioner of the State Department of Labor and Industries DeWitt C. DeWolf to remove at once former-Rep. John A. Jones of Peabody, staunch supporter of former-Gov. Elly, as director of the division of employment in that department.

Jones who was defeated for reelection in the Curley landslide last fall received his directorship as one of the outgoing acts of Joseph B. Elly.

Gov. Curley, it was stated at the office of the Department of Labor and Industries, requested Jones' removal on the ground that his appointment was not satisfactory to the Federal administration in Washington. The salary of the position is \$3460 annually.

Miss Mary Meehan, acting commissioner during the absence of DeWolf

Miss Mary Meehan, acting commissioner during the absence of DeWolf or account of illness, said that she and her associate commissioner have not yet acted on Gov. Curley's remest.

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ous report, but too late to cauch so. editions of newspapers which had issued extras.

On Beacon Hill

(By the Associated Press)

Today House and Senate stand adjourned

until Friday at 11 a. m.

Legislative committees have be-fore them 114 petitions. The governor may make public a report submitted by his recently

report submitted by his recently created crime commission.

The governor, his "brain trust" and the chief executives of other New England states confer with textile and shoe representatives on the troubles of those industries.

Yesterday The Department of Labor and In-dustries reported the total value of building permit applications filed during January in 55 representative Massachusetts cities dropped 42.8 per cent below the December mark and 17.8 per cent below January of last

The reinstatement of Charles T. Beaupre as captain and executive of-ficer of the Massachusetts state police was unanimously recommended by the committee on public safety.

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CO-OPERATIVE BANKS REDUCE INTEREST TO 51-2 PER CENT

Pittsfield and Union Directors Vote Cut for One Year in Order To Get Around Law-Berkshire Trust Has Not Announced Reduction

operative Banks today announced the adoption of Governor Curley's recommendation that banks throughout the State reduce the interest rate on home mortgages of a necessary to make the change. certain type from 6 to 51/2 per cent.

The joint announcement from the city's only co-operative banks came majority of the cooperative banks after directors' meetings at both inafter directors' meetings at both institutions within the past few days.

While the reduction will go into effect generally March 1, the cooperative banks will officially make the change on their regular interest dates. For the Union Co-operative this will fall on March 19. The Pittsfield Co-operative's date to make the change will be March 12.

Different Situation

Unlike the savings banks, the cooperative banks, before they could adopt the recommendation, were forced to get around a law which prevents them from restoring an interest cut. They are allowed to reduce the rate at any time, but can not raise it at will as can the savings institutions. Because of this, the plan as adopted locally calls for a reduction for one year. The cut will then be voted annually so long as the other banking houses remain on the same basis. The necessity for this system is based on the fact bank which has not yet announced that co-operative banks deal ex- a decision.

The Union and Pittsfield Co- clusively in time mortgages, the average maturity period being 12 years. In addition, the borrowers, being shareholders in the bank must signify their desire to secure the decrease by signing the papers

Resolution Adopted The resolution as adopted by the

"That commencing with the payment for March, 1935, the interest rate on mortgages be reduced to 51/2 per cent on a temporary basis and by written agreement with the borrower under such terms as may be required by the treasurer. Such reduction shall be effective only from the date of the execution of such written agreement."

The Union Cooperative will send out notices next week to its borrowers asking them to come to the bank to make the necessary arrangements.

The vote of the cooperative banks leaves only two banks in the city which have not yet announced their adoption of the reduction. One, the Pittsfield-Third National, being under national jurisdiction, has a different situation to meet than the other local banks. The Berkshire Trust Company is the only other Press Clipping Service 2 Park Square BOSTON MASS.

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MASS. CAN GET **NEW CCC CAMP**

Curley Urges Buying 10,-000 Acres of Forest Land at \$50,000

Boston, Feb. 14-Purchase of 10,000 acres of forest land either in the western part of the state or on Cape Cod at a cost of \$50,000 was recommended this week by Gov Curley as an inducement to the federal government to allot \$500,000 more to Massachusetts for another CCC camp.

The governor explained that he had been notified from Washington that the federal government was willing to make the \$500,000 additional available for Massachusetts, if the state would purchase the land. He said that the project would provide employment for 1300 young men for a period of six months.

"It's good, healthful work," said the governor, "and men as well as boys should be employed to develop the

land."
He said that the proposed site has yet to be selected, but he has instructed Budget Commissioner Carl A. Raymond to make arrangements for the \$50,000 state appropriation.

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Curley's Office **Expense Probed**

House Committee Inquires About \$5000 Car

Boston, Feb. 14-The House ways and means committee has complained that Gov James M. Curley's estimate of the cost of operating the executive office this year is nearly \$6000 in excess of the sum spent by former Gov Joseph B. Ely last year. Albert F. Bigelow, chairman, says he is curious to know why Gov Curley needs four more persons in his office

needs four more persons in his office staff than did Ely, the added help be-ing secretaries and stenographers. The committee is making inquiry into the acquisition of a new \$5000 limousine by Mr Curley upon taking office last month. Mr Bigelow point-ed out that Gov Ely was satisfied with a car costing about \$1500 or less.

It is stated that the cost of op-erating Gov Curley's office in 1935 will be approximately \$39,000. committee has authority to strike out owance, although these might be restored when the budget comes upperfore the House.

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LOCAL PROJECTS TOTAL \$842,500

Curley's Plan Colossal Would Eliminate Nearby Grade Crossings

The \$230,000,000 program which Gov James M. Curiey has proposed to PWA officials at Washington, this to be the Bay state's share of the \$4,880,-000,000 work relief measure now be-

o00,000 work relief measure now before Congress, calls for the expenditure of more than \$2,000,000 in this be borne by the federal sovernment.

cluded on the lengthy list which the week when he presented his colossal monwealth is the proposed entire coming at the Westfield state sanatorium adult tubercular patients and would received at the local sanatorium at the local sanatorium at the local sanatorium as \$20,000. Adult patients are not present.

Elimination of three grade crossings

Dresent.
Elimination of three grade crossings in the towns of Southwick, Huntingin and Becket, included in the Curboral devices of the Becket, included in the Curboral devices of the Grand Projects, with a total of \$743,000 alwhore the main tracks of the Boston & Albany Failroad bisect Main and two underpasses would total \$405,000. To eliminate the grade crossing of the New York, New Haven and Hartrad in Southwick, the estimated cost which the governor grade crossing climinate is governor broposes to main line on Main street, Becket, The \$233,000.

Cost of the numerous highway

\$233,000.
\$233,000.

Nearest of the numerous highway Nearest of the numerous highway on the list is the reprojects included on the list is the reward of the numerous highway construction of 4.9 miles of state highway on Route 7 between Great Bardof Becket. This project would town about \$302,000, it is estimated.

The only other proposed highway the building of about thre miles of 20-ton, Cummington and Windsor, a West Worthington for Route 143 at Windsor. The sum of \$117,000 has job.

Male Employes' Building of the state of the state of this Male Employes' Building of the sum of \$100.

Male Employes' Building at "San"

In Westfield, besides the adult patient building at the state sanatorium,

tient building at the state sanatorium, there would also be constructed on the acceptance of \$15,000 and a reservoir to stalled in the heating plant of the adstalled in the heating plant of the westfield at a cost of \$12,000 on Court street at a cost of \$12,000 on Court street at a cost of \$12,000 on Court street are mendous scope of the proposed prosticipation of practically every public in the commonwealth of any importance envisioned for the next 25 years. Thus concrete explanation of his "work and in the recent election campaign.

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Bridge Committee

TURNERS FALLS-Members of the committee for the proposed bridge spanning the Connecticut river between Turners Falls and Diverside left this manning for Page river between Turners Falls and Riverside left this morning for Bos Riverside left this morning for Boston, where the petition recently circulated will be submitted to the governor's office. Town officials and prominent officials and prominent officials and prominent officials. governor's onice. Town onicials and prominent citizens were among those making the trip, which committee members hoped would result discussed question on the much-

in favorable action on the much-discussed question.

More than 1,800 names were signed to the petition in this town, and it is believed that a similar inferest was found in Gill The petiand it is beneved that a similar in-terest was found in Gill. The peti-tion asked Gov. Curley to include the bridge proposal in his relief program, saying that public conveyance and safety demanded the construction of the bridge.

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TEXTILE GROUP **MEETS CURLEY**

Problems of Industry in New England Under Discussion

Leaders of the New Bedford textile industry joined textile men from other New England communities and representatives of the New England shoe industry, in a conference called by Governor Curley for this afternoon in Boston, to discuss means of safeguarding these two industries for New England.

land.
Professors of economics from 22
Colleges and universities, and the
governors of the five other New
to take part in the conference
The conference was arranged,
Governor Curley states, at the re-

England states, were also invited to take part in the conference. The conference was arranged, where the conference was arranged, quest of textile operators who seek to halt the migration of the land. He took occasion to combine it with a similar discussion for the also faces migration of factories to lower wages will meet the problems of price competition.

Two major obstacles need to be the Governor said, the \$3 lower the southern mills, and the competition of papanese peen American markets.

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off For Boston CURLEY TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARING

Governor States Leonard to Have Change Wednesday

BOSTON, Feb. 13 (AP)-Removal of Joseph J. Leonard as police commissioner of Boston was demanded today by James M. Curley who announced, Governor at the same time, he would give Leonard a public hearing on the question next Wednesday.

At the same time the Legislative Committee on Civil Service voted unanimously on a bill that would place the offices of superintendent and deputy superintendents of Boston police under civil service. It was Leonard's attempt to de-It was Leonard's attempt to demote Superituendent Martin H. Sioner had assumed office, that sioner had assumed office, that of Curley and others. The bill would remain in office.

The governor filed a formal the executive council but action, one week.

one week.
"You had lunches," Curl one week.

"You had better bring your
"You had better bring your
lunches," Curley told newspapermen when asked how long he expected Leonard's public hearing to

The clash between the Governor and Leonard, starting with the fore Curley assumed office, broke wide open with the office open with the slaying last a South End night Sweeney in accused Leonard of inefficiency and immediately ordered state all precedent in a Boston crime. Leonard has repeatedly said he police commissioner is appointed hamed by former Governor Joseph foe. The clash between the Governor

Investigation of the Sweeney destioning of an unidentified was believed she was one of the scene of the scene of the shooting, when the scene of the shooting, when the Police also revealed they had been tosed into the Boston harbor, Plans were under way to have a that point. Investigation of the

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Curley Meets New Crime Commission



The above photograph taken at the State House shows Governor Curley in conference with his new Crime Commission. They are (left to right, front): Commissioner of Public Safety Paul G. Kirk; Governor Curley and Attorney General Paul Dever; (left to right, rear): Professor Frank Simpson of Boston University; Captain John Stokes, State Police; Registrar of Motor Vehicles Frank Goodwin; Donald R. Simpson, James Ronan, Attorney H. P. Fielding and Attorney John P. Feeney.

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SENATE FAVORS EXTRA GUARDS ON BOSTON 'EL'

Bill Sent to Third Reading by Roll Call Vote of 21 to 13

OPPOSED BY NICHOLSON

Considine, Conroy, Miles Favor Proposal as Safety Measure

Boston, Feb. 14—By roll call vote, 21 to 13, the Senate yesterday ordered to a third reading the bill requiring one guard for every two cars on trains operated by the Boston Elevated Railway.

Sneaking in opposition to the

every two cars on trains operated by the Boston Elevated Railway.

Speaking in opposition to the bill, Senator Donald W. Nicholson of Wareham, chairman of the Committee on Transportation which reported adversely on the bill only to have it substituted by the House, said that no labor union appeared before the committee on the legislation.

Senator Nicholson declared that the trustees of the Boston Elevated gave their word when they installed the present multiple control system that no employe would be discharged and "they have kept their word." If the bill goes through it will cost the taxpayers of the metropolitan district \$135,000 he declared, based on the amount of service they are giving now. It would go up over \$200,000, if the road was to furnish additional service, he continued.

Miles Favors Bill

Miles Favors Bill

Senator Charles G. Miles of Brockton favored the bill. He took the floor, he said, because word had reached him that if he voted for this bill a Brockton bill he was interested in would be defeated.

The Brockton Senator said people are packed like sardines in the trains; that he saw women's dresses caught in the doors. He admitted that the bill would incur expense, but insisted it was a safety measure.

expense, but insisted it was a safety measure.

Senator William S. Conroy of Fall River also favored the bill.

Senator Joseph A. Langone of Boston, in favor, said the Elevated hasn't enough men on the trains to protect the public.

"Nobody says anything about the Cape district, where they are going to have a land steal," he declared. "It's all right to spend \$3,500,000 on the Cape Cod Canal, but when it comes to spending money on the Boston district it is a different matter."

Considine Votes 'Yes'

Considine Votes 'Yes'

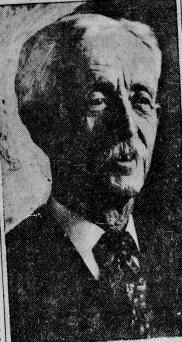
On the question of ordering the bill to a third reading, Senators from New Bedford and vicinity Noted as follows:

Yes—Conroy of Fall River, Considine of New Bedford, and Miles of Brockton.

No—Nicholson of Wareham.

Senator Nicholson was recorded in favor of a bill, heard by the

85 Years Old



CHARLES WING SPOONER

Mr. Spooner, who will be 85 to-morrow, will celebrate the anniversary at the home of his grand-daughter, Mrs. Alice Sanderson, in Lakehurst, N. J. He was born in New Bedford and has lived here all his life, not counting the early years he spent at sea. He is a retired paperhanger. A surprise party awaits him at Mrs. Sanderson's.

legislative Committee on Legal Affairs, to extend the time of seasonal licenses for sale of alcoholic beverages from Oct. 31 to Nov. 31. The bill was filed on petition of the Selectmen of the town of Bourne. There was no opposition. An appeal for Massachusetts to become the 25th state to ratify the proposed Child Labor Amendment was made by Robert J. Watt, legislative agent of the American Federation of Labor, before the Committee on Constitutional Law. Representative Edward J. Kelley of Worcester, Representative Edward P. Boland of Springfield and Senator Francis M. McKeown of Springfield recorded themselves in

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Selectman George S. Mycock of Freetown said there were 5,000 acres under option by the state and the three cities named were very much interested in the development.

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would be no tax problem as the would be no tax problem as the government would pay the taxes to the town and to Fall River, into part of which the site extends. He recorded Senator William S. Conroy of Fall River in favor of the bill, as well as the selectmen of Freetown. representatives of of Freetown, representatives of the Fall River Central Labor Union and the Taunton Building Trades
Council. There was no opposition.

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The Committee on Conservation will hold a hearing next Monday at 10:30 on the legislation embodied in the Governor's message to the Legislature yesterday in which he Legislature yesterday in which he seeks to validate his action in closing the open season on deer hunting on the island of Nantucket. The open season had developed in the open season had developed in the Governor ordered it closed. A vigorous attack on Governor Curley's recently appointed committee, which was instructed to endeavor to effect reductions in gas and electric rates, was made before the Committee on Power and Light by Attorney Wycliffe C. Marshall of Watertown, who has appeared before the State Public casions as counsel for municipal-Utilities Commission on many ocities and rate payers on petitions for reductions. ities and rate payers on petitions for reductions.

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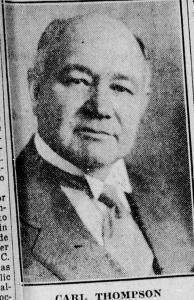
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Flat Rate Auto Insurance

Committee on Insurance. The only difference in yesterday's hearing from those of previous years was decided decrease in attend-

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Speaks Tonight



CARL THOMPSON

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compulsory for cities and towns and heads of state institutions to purchase prison-made products.

Selecting Jurors

Bentley W. Warren, president of the Boston Bar Association, told the Committee on Judiciary that the present system of selecting jurors in Massachusetts is not satjurors in Massachusetts is not satisfactory because those operating it may be subject to political pressure and have not the facilities to select men to meet judicial requirements. He was in favor of a bill ostablishing a jury commis-The same bills and the same arguments advocating the passage of a flat rate compulsory automobile insurance in Massachusetts which have been buffetted about on Beacon Hill since the compulsory insurance law went into effect, were again let fly before the Committee on Insurance. The der the provisions of the petition filed by the Boston Bar Associa-

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Aimed at "chiselers" on public welfare who collect money for fuel oil without purchasing it, the legislative Committee on Public Safety reported unanimously the bill of Representative Cornelius Donovan of Lynn, requiring certificate of sale be issued in all sales of fuel oil of ten gallons or more.

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which no licensed liquor establishments would be allowed were over-

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State ABC Commission.

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"hardy annuals" on Beacon Hill
seeking to establish a state university in this state met with the
usual adverse action of the committee on Legal Affairs. The bill
was sponsored by the Executive
Committee of the Socialist Party.

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Appointment of a special commission to study and recodify laws relating to trapping of fur bearing animals was favored before the legislative Committee on Conservation by representatives of several sportsmen's organizations.

After some debate, the House killed a bill providing for the extending of school days for public elementary schools from 160 to 180 days.

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President James G. Moran of
the State Senate reiterated that
he would oppose any move to unseat Senator William F. Madden,
facing a two-months jail sentence
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"No one was harmed by what
Madden did," declared President
Moran, "and consequently my vete
will be cast for his retention as a
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Governor Curley asked the commissioners of the State Department of Labor and Industries to ment of Labor and Industries to remove former Representative John A. Jones of Peabody, staunch supporter of former Governor Ely, as director of the Division of Employment in that department.

Jones, a former veteran member of the House who was defeated for reelection in the Curley landslide, received his directorship Dec. 28, in the closing hours of the Ely Administration.

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Governor Curley, it was stated at the offices of the labor commissioners, requested Jones' removal on the ground that his appointment was not satisfactory to the Federal Administration in Washington. The salary of the position

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Frank A. Goodwin, registrar of motor vehicles, declared that he was absolutely opposed to the proposed legislation for the compulsory installation of speed governors on automobiles. The proposed bill for the compulsory equipment of machines with governors has not yet been acted upton by the State Legislature. The bill was endorsed by Morgan T. Ryan, former registrar Ryan

more motor deaths and injuries resulting from accidents in which the machines were travelling at less than 25 miles per hour. He declared that it would be unfair to force hundreds of persons who never go faster than 35 miles per hour to go to the expense of installing governors on their machines.

On Beacon Hill

By The Associated Press.

Today

House and Senate stand adjourned until Friday at 11 a.m.
Legislative committees have before them 114 petitions.

The Governor may make public a report submitted by his recently created crime commission.

The Governor, his "brain trust" and the chief executives of other New England states confer with textile and shoe representatives on the troubles of those industries.

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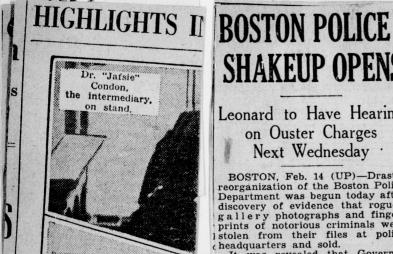
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The governor, it should be remembered, has been forbidden by his physician from such indulgence, and perhaps that is why he has found smoking by others so objectionable. At any rate, he announced he is no longer going to be suffocated by the vapors of burning Manila-Cuban and whatever other variety of tobacco his callers may favor. He also objected to the charring of the blue velvet carpets in the corridors by stamped-upon cigar and suffered to abanlon about two and a half inches of a cigar which he claimed the covernor gave him yesterday. State House attaches expect the eal test to come when Attorney on P. Feeney is invariably eneloped in a swirl of smoke and his osom encrusted in a layer of burning Manila-Cuban and whatever other variety of tobacco his callers may favor. He also objected to the charring of the blue velvet carpets in the corridors by stamped-upon cigar and suffered to the charring of the blue velvet carpets in the corridors by stamped-upon cigar and suffered to the charring of the blue velvet carpets in the corridors by velvet carpets in the corridors by stamped-upon cigar ends. A prominent Democrate all but

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> Gov. Curley has been placed in the peculiar position of not wanting to force immediate adoption of his inaugural recommendation by the developments in the case of Police Commissioner Joseph J. Leonard of Boston.

> He desires to oust Mr. Leonard, but cannot do so until a public hearing is held next Wednesday. Inability to get the support of Governor's Councillor Edmond Cote to the immediate ousting of the Police Commissioner caused the Governor to change his plans of seeking it yesterday.

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UNDER THE STATEHOUSE DOME

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It augurs well for the future. For these young men and women are those who must before long assume the real burdens of the party. A great deal of credit goes to young men like Wallace Stearns and Roger Lutz who give unselfishly of their time and energy to aid the cause. These two have not been singled out for any specific reason, just happens that a few moments ago we saw both of them tearing madly up Beacon Hill on a mission of benefit to the Republican party.

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Bob Bushnell is one of the most talented and capable men in the Republican party. As an orator he probably has not a superior. During the last campaign his radio addresses and his personal appearances alike were frankly admitted to have "stolen the show". He is just the type needed right now to bring new life into the veins of the old party. Bushnell is a fighter and lacks nothing in the way of courage to voice his convictions and to stand by them. Just another illustration of the statement we made some weeks ago that after all the real talent of the Commonwealth still does remain within the Republican ranks.

Harmony with a capital "H" is being spelled out at every gathering of the Republicans this winter. Perhaps after all that defeat last November had a salutary effect. Now, instead of fighting with one another, the Republicans are present in united ranks to fight the common enemy. To speak of the Republican party in this state as a "minority party" is ridiculous and is not borne out by the facts. As Chairman Vernon Marr pointed out the other day, it's about a 40-30 proposition with the Republicans on the long end of those odds. Then there is the other 30 per cent which may be classed as independent, undecided, mugwump or what have you. But in actual recorded and registered votes the Republicans are still in the majority. Only now and then will a holocaust come along as did that one last fall. And maybe one is needed every so often just to prevent overconfidence.

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about him. He is on the job every day and is giving his earnest and constant attention to the work. What a nice balance wheel he is, calm and well paised and one of those fellows and call, with "the greatest of ease" pour oil on the troubled waters.

* * * * By the way, the tax payers were treated to a rare sight these past few days when it was publicly announced that conferences were being held in the office of the Governor to "save the Boston Braves". Now we yield to no man in our liking and admiration for Judge Fuchs. Fine fellow fireside is certainly to be desired. But a...d regular as they make them. But it does heem a bit far fetched for the Governor and his official family to Republicans, of making them realize put the State in the position of making the paramount issue right now the question as to whether or not does change. It is evident on every Boston shall continue to salvage its side in the organization and renewed National League baseball team. But perhaps that is one of the weighty state problems we were told would

Week celebrations throughout the re-

Plans are underway to interest all

Other details include the printing o. a souvenir book, giving a history of the canal with pictures of typical scenes and the names and portraits of prominent officials and chairmen of the committees. The book will be available for public and private libraries.

Harry B. Ivers, secretary of the Southeastern Massachusetts Chamber of Commerce, has been busy for some time on the project. Mr. Ivers has had an interview with Governor Curley, who will extend the official invitation to President Roosevelt.

Engineers expect the Bourne and Sagamore highway bridges will be opened to traffic by June 20 and a small celebration is planned on that date when the first cars pass over the

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Of the fund which Governor Curle has asked the Federal Governmen to grant Massachusetts for publiworks construction in Barnstabl County, the total allotment for Cap Cod projects is \$1,778,000 of wh.cl \$750,000 is for reconstruction of Rout 6, from Orleans to Provincetown.

Bourne, with \$330,000 for highway work, is to receive the biggest share

Dennis, with \$135,000 to build a harbor at the mouth of Sesuit Creek in East Dennis and \$10,000 for jetty construction, is second.

Truro, one of the smallest towns on the Cape, and home of Rep. E. Hayes Small, is allotted \$97,000. Wellfleet is allotted \$100,000 for harbor work.

Doing away with the grade crossing at East Brewster calls for an expenditure of \$70,000 for Brewster.

Amounts proposed to be expended in other towns include \$87,000 in Barnstable, \$62,000 in Falmouth, \$50,-000 in Sandwich, \$22,000 in Chatham, \$23,400 in Yarmouth, \$8,500 in Harwich and \$8,000 in Orleans.

A few towns have already appropriated money to pay their share of loca dredging and other harbor work. Orleans appropriated \$4,000 to defray the town's share of dredging Rock Harbor, and Harwich has also appropriated for half of her harbor and water front projects.

Several of the projects omitted include the development of the Nickerson Memorial Park, a 1500-acre State tract at East Brewster. Millions are asked for various sewage projects and more for Mass. Teachers' colleges, but none for Hyannis. Many millions are asked for water systems, but no mention is made of the proposed Harwich plant for which the town voted \$100,-000 Feb. 5.

Let's get on the band wagon.